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TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

HARRISBURG.

Proceedings of the Legislature—Bills Introduced and Passed—Petitions—Both Houses Adjourn Till Tuesday Next.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, February 5, 1869.

SENATE.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

By Mr. SEARIGHT: Authorizing the School Board of Uniontown to apply certain School tax to building purposes.

BILLS PASSED.

Mr. ERRETT called up the supplement enlarging the jurisdiction of Courts in chartering insurance companies. Passed.

Mr. WALLACE called up the bill authorizing the Philadelphia and Erie Railway to extend their branch road in Cameron, Jefferson and Elk counties. Passed.

Mr. BROWN, of Mercer, called up the bill authorizing the Crawford County Coal Company to borrow money. Passed.

Adjourned till Tuesday morning.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

PETITIONS.

Mr. WILSON, of Allegheny, from A. W. Foster, of Pittsburgh, for a commutative system of voting for legislators.

Mr. PLAYFORD, of Fayette, from citizens of Uniontown, for the extension of the Lancaster auctioneer act to Uniontown.

Mr. EDWARDS, of Lawrence, against the act giving Butler county jurisdiction in the case of Butler county against the Northwestern Railway Company; also, for a prohibitory liquor law for Lawrence county.

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On motion of Mr. HERR, of Dauphin, the use of the House was granted to the Great Council of the Improved Order of Red Men for sessions from the 20th to the the 25th of July next.

POSTAGE ACCOUNT.

The postage account of the House for January, $3,552.98, was ordered paid.

EXTRA OFFICERS.

Mr. LONGENECKER, of Bedford, a resolution that all officers of the House not now sworn to be relieved, and that their salaries run only for the time they actually served.

The House refused to read the resolution a second time.

STATE PRINTER'S BILL.

Mr. MEEK, of Centre, a resolution requesting the Auditor General to furnish the Committee on Printing an itemized copy of the State Printer's bill for 1868, setting forth the amount of paper used, price paid, number of copies of books, pamphlets and public documents printed, and all other work, stating the amount done and price charged by said Printer, and instructing the Committee to report at an early day by bill or otherwise some method to reduce the expenditures in this department. Laid over.

PASSED FINALLY.

Mr. NICHOLSON, of Beaver, called up the Senate bill consolidating the wards of Pittsburgh for educational purposes. Passed finally.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Mr. WILSON, of Allegheny: Incorporating the Pittsburgh Gold and Silver Mining Company of Montana.

Mr. MORGAN, of Allegheny: Providing for the appointment of an Inspector of illuminating gas and gas meters, and regulating the inspection of the same, and for the protection of consumers and manufacturers of gas in Allegheny county.

Mr. HUMPHREYS, of Allegheny: Relative to borough elections in Ormsby, Allegheny county; also, authorizing Ormsby borough to borrow money.

Mr. BEATTY, of Crawford: For the protection of livery stable keepers in Crawford county.

Mr. PLAYFORD, of Fayette: Relative to actions in trespass for mesne profits.

Mr. EDWARDS, incorporating the Peoples Saving Bank of Lawrence county at New Castle.

Mr. CLARK, of Warren: Extending exemption to estates of dower and other life estates.

BILLS PASSED.

Mr. DUNCAN: Authorizing an additional Justice of the Peace for Cherry-tree township, Venango. Passed.

Mr. WILSON called up the Senate bill enabling the School Directors of Fifth ward, Allegheny, to borrow additional thirty thousand dollars. Passed.

Adjourned till Tuesday afternoon.

NEW YORK CITY.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, February 5, 1869.

General Grant visited Appleton's book establishment this afternoon, attended a reception at the house of Mr. McKean, Second avenue, this afternoon, and dined with Hamilton Fish, this evening. He is expected to leave to-morrow for Washington.

The bark America, supposed to have aboard some of the passengers rescued from the steamship Hibernia, is at anchor outside the bar.

In the examination of parties charged with conspiring to defraud the Union Pacific Railroad of $120,000, the evidence of one of them, Frederick A. Goodall, who has turned States evidence, was given.

Counterfeiters Pardoned—Presbyterian Difficulty.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 5.—The President has pardoned Carlo Latriga and Francis Martenetti, who were sentenced in 1866 to serve fifteen years in the Penitentiary at Frankfort, for counterfeiting United States currency.

A movement is on foot to further complicate the existing difficulties among the Presbyterians of Kentucky. It is an effort on the part of certain of the laity connected with the Declaration Testimony Synod, who are indisposed to see that body connected with the Southern General Assembly.

NEWS BY CABLE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, February 5.—The preparations for the meeting of Parliament are nearly complete. In the House Henry F. Cawfer will move, and Mr. Mundela will second, the address to the Queen.

Lord Clarendon's health is much impaired, and it is expected he will soon be obliged to retire from the Foreign Office.

GREECE.

The Powers participating in the Paris Conference have granted a brief space of time for Greece to decide on their proposals. King George has returned to Athens, and is engaged in forming a new Cabinet. He finds great difficulty in completing the Ministry, owing to the hostility of the Greeks to the Conference; but it is announced that Zaimis has consented to act as Premier and Deligannis as Minister of Foreign Affairs, and that the other seats in the Cabinet have also been filled with Ministers who will consent to sign the protocol. Great excitement prevails in Athens. M. Bulgaris, the retiring Prime Minister, is immensely popular, and extensive demonstrations of sympathy are made in his favor by the citizens.

FRANCE.

PARIS, February 5.—Marquis Moustier, late Minister of Foreign Affairs, died to-day.

Dispatches from Algeria announce that the insurgents were met by troops and after a brief engagement routed and dispersed.

MARINE NEWS.

QUEENSTOWN, February 5.—The steamship Java, from New York, arrived this morning.

SOUTHAMPTON, February 5.—The steamship Hammonia arrived this afternoon.

SPAIN.

MADRID, February 5.—The erection of a synagogue in this city has been licensed by the authorities.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, February 5—*Evening.*—Consols closed at 93¼ for money and 93¼@93¼ for account. Five-twenties, 76½. Stocks quiet and steady: Erie, 24¼; Illinois, 93¾; Atlantic and Great Western, 39½.

PARIS, February 5.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows a decrease in bullion of 9,800 000 francs.

LIVERPOOL, February 5.—Cotton; to-day the market was easier, but not quotably lower; middling uplands 12¼d.; Orleans 12¼d.: sales, 15,000 bales; sales for the week 140,000 bales; the price of American advanced ⅛@¼d.; of the sales 65,000 bales were for speculation; exporters took 15,000 bales; the stock is estimated at 257,000 bales, of which 85,000 is American. Breadstuffs—Wheat; 11s. 5d. @11s. 6d. for California white, and 9s. 9d. @9s. 10d. for No. 1 red western. Flour 26s. Corn; 32s. 6d. for old mixed western; 31s. for new. Oats 3s. 6d. Barley 5s. Peas 44s. Provisions—Pork 97s. 6d. Beef 102s. 6d. Lard 78s. Cheese 76s. Bacon 59s. 6d. Petroleum unchanged. Tallow 46s. 6d. Turpentine firmer but not higher.

LONDON, February 5.—Spirits Petroleum 8¾s. Linseed Oil £27 15s.

ANTWERP, February 5.—Petroleum dull at 58¾f.

FRANKFORT, February 5—*Evening.*—Five twenty bonds 80½.

PARIS, February 5.—Bourse quiet. Rentes 70f. 85c.

HAVRE, February 5—*Evening.*—Cotton; low middlings afloat 132f.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—A design to rescue Boyle, the Michigan murderer, at New York, was frustrated.

—The Robinson House, at Watertown, Wis., was burned yesterday. Loss $18,000.

—The International Hotel at St. Paul, Minn., was burned Wednesday. Total loss over $100,000.

—Jonathan Burr, a wealthy citizen and ex-banker of Chicago, died Thursday, aged seventy-five.

—Richey, Sharp & Co. is the Philadelphia dry goods firm, the failure of which has been announced.

—No lives were lost by the catastrophe at St. Patricks Hall, Montreal. Thirty persons were injured.

—In consequence of the snow storm in Canada, all railroad trains were delayed and no mails received for forty-eight hours.

—Christian Sharp, of Philadelphia, is applying for an extension of his breech-loading rifle. He admits having realized over $130,000.

—The dry goods and grocery store of J. B Morand, at Colesburg, Iowa, was burned last night. Loss $15,000; partially insured.

—A fire at Cheyenne on Wednesday destroyed the store of A. Piper and the warehouse of Cornworth Brothers, involving a loss of $20,000.

—The joint Canvassing Committee have reported that at the last election in Illinois a majority of seven hundred and twenty-six votes in favor of a Constitutional Convention were cast.

—Charles M. Dupuy, Professor of French, died at Baltimore yesterday from an overdose of chloroform, administered by himself. He was at one time Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Maryland.

—Mrs. Stanton, Miss Anthony, Lucy Stone, Olympia Brown and Miss Chapin, are to address the Woman Suffrage Convention to be held in Chicago on the 11th and 12th instants, and Miss Dickinson the Sorosis Convention which meets at the same time.

—Spring Hill College, six miles from Mobile, Alabama, was destroyed by fire Thursday night. The students barely escaped with their lives. The library, furniture and museum were all destroyed. No one was was injured. Loss $100,000; insurance $35,000.

—In the libel suit of E. L. Sanderson against the New York *Mercury*, the jury found a verdict for five thousand dollars damages. The article alleged as libellous insinuated that the plaintiff had made money by the collection of soldiers' claims at exorbitant percentage and that he was in the habit of becoming intoxicated.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.

THE CAPITAL.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WASHINGTON, February 5, 1869.

NOMINATION

The President to-day nominated to the Senate Henry S. Watts, of Pennsylvania, as Secretary of Legation at Vienna, vice Hay, resigned.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.

There seems to be an indisposition in the Committee of Ways and Means to prolong the time of whiskey in bond after April, as requested by the whiskey ring throughout the country. There also seems a change of mind in the matter of converting registered bonds into coupon bonds.

TREATY WITH GERMANY.

It is understood the project of a convention between the United States and the North German Union, for the better protection of emigrants to the United States, is under consideration by Baron Gerolt and certain parties in New York and Washington. The plan of a treaty having this in view has already been prepared, both at the Treasury Department and State Department, that from the latter office modifying several provisions contained in the former. As yet there has been no definite action with respect to either.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD.

At a meeting of the Senate Committee on the Pacific railroad, to-day, they decided, by a vote of eight against three, to extend the Union Pacific Railroad, eastern division, from its present terminus, in Kansas, southward to a junction with the Atlantic and Pacific roads on the thirty-fifth parallel, in New Mexico, the Trunk line west of the Junction towards the Pacific to be built and controlled jointly by the two companies.

COWHIDING SCRAPE.

Mr. Dempsey, of the firm of Dempsey & O'Toole, to-day cowhided a clerk in the patent office, a Mr. Duncan, the author of a report to the Commissioner relative to the contract between that firm and the office.

THE PRESIDENT'S FAMILY.

Mrs. Stover and her children left to-day for her home in Tennessee. The President's wife was unable, from feeble health, to accompany her daughter, as she had intended.

CUSTOMS.

The receipts of customs from January 23d to the 30th were upwards of three millions of dollars.

ST. LOUIS.

Woman Suffrage Resolution Laid on the Table in Missouri Legislature—Insurance Suit.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, February 5.—Notwithstanding the encouragement given to the representatives of the Woman's Suffrage Association by the members of the Legislature yesterday, a joint resolution, introduced in the House to-day, providing for the submission to the people at the next general election of a Constitutional amendment declaring that hereafter no person shall be denied the right to vote on account of sex, was tabled by 59 ayes to 43 nays.

The Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company, of this city, has brought suit against John H. Bowen and Samuel Jacoby, sureties for Charles E. Ferguson, formerly Secretary of that Company, but now deceased, for money said to have been converted by Ferguson to his own use, and which his estate cannot pay. Judgment is asked against Bowen and a writ of attachment against Jacoby, who has property here but resides in the State of New York.

Memphis Items.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, February 5.—Wm. Rice, who was stabbed at a ball Wednesday night, is still in a critical condition. McGrath, who did the stabbing, was released on $4,000 bail.

Wm. H. Bearne, the newly appointed Superintendent of the Police, entered upon his duty to-day.

A dispatch from Gov. Clayton says Captain Rosseau, of the Arkansas militia, against whom numberless charges have been preferred by the citizens of Woodruff county, for outraging and black-mailing, has been arrested and lodged in the penitentiary at Little Rock.

At the preliminary examination of Pender, Dyer and Landergin, charged with the murder of Thomas Hennesy last Sunday night, all were discharged but the former, who was held for trial.

At the session of the Mississippi Press Convention, just closed at Holly Springs, J. Augustin Siginiago, editor of the Grenada *Sentinel*, a well known poet, was elected President.

News from Mexico.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, February 5.—A steamer from Vera Cruz arrived yesterday. She brings the following news from the City of Mexico:

The bill granting to Julius Skilton a concession for the construction of a railway between El Paso and the City of Mexico passed Congress.

General Canto, the alleged murderer of General Patoni, has escaped from prison.

City of Mexico, Feb. 1. via Havana, Feb. 5.—The conspirator Benitz, who attempted the life of President Juarez, has been shot. A conducta of $3,000,000 has left this city for Vera Cruz. Diaz has been elected Governor of the State of Michoacan. Twenty rebels have been captured in the State of Tamaulipas and shot.

Texas Constitutional Convention.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, February 5.—A special dispatch from Austin to the Galveston *News*, dated the 4th inst., says: The Convention to-day engrossed the ordinance submitting the Constitution to the people. It provides for an election of members of Congress and State officers on the first Monday of July. A motion to adjourn *sine die*, for the purpose of defeating the adoption of the ordinance, was voted down.

FORTIETH CONGRESS.

[THIRD SESSION.]

SENATE: The Constitutional Amendment—Mr Sumner Offers a Substitute. HOUSE: Military Appropriation Bill—Reduction of the Army Discussed—Evening Session for General Debate.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, February 5, 1869.

SENATE.

Several petitions were presented.

A resolution was passed to hold an evening session until the Constitutional Amendment is disposed of.

Mr. RAMSEY introduced bill amendatory of the act granting lands to Iowa and Minnesota to aid in the construction of several railroads. Referred to Select Commiitee on Railroads.

Mr. CORBETT, from Committee on Commerce, reported a substitute for the bill to provide for the protection of fur bearing animals of Alaska.

Mr. POMEROY, from Committee on Public Lands, reported adversely the bill providing for sales of lands to aid in the construction of the West Va. Central Railroad.

On motion of Mr. POMEROY, the Committee on Public Lands were discharged from the further consideration of the bill granting lands to aid in the construction of the Wisconsin railroad.

The bill to give effect to certain treaty stipulations with foreign countries was passed. It authorizes the President to employ a military force, when necessary, to guard alleged criminals delivered up by foreign governments under extradition treaties.

The resolution to authorize payment of Senators from unreconstructed States from the beginning of the next session was taken up.

Mr. MORTON made a brief argument in favor of the resolution, and cited several precedents.

Mr. TRUMBULL had thought this proposition dead. The Senate had already distinctly declared the Senators in question should be paid only from the time their States were declared entitled to representation in Congress.

While Mr. Trumbull was speaking the morning hour expired, which brought up the unfinished business, viz: the Constitutional Amendment.

The amendment offered yesterday by Mr. Williams was read, and he addressed the Senate in its advocacy.

Mr. SUMNER next addressed the Senate.

Mr. SUMNER offered a substitute for the joint resolution, providing for an amendment to the Constitution. It provides that the right to vote, to be voted for and hold offices shall not be denied or abridged anywhere in the United States, under any pretence of race or color, and all provisions in any State Constitutions, and all laws, State, Territorial or Municipal, inconsistent herewith, are hereby declared null and void; 2d. That any person who, under pretence of race or color, wilfully hinders or attempts to hinder any citizen of the United States from being registered, or from voting, or from being voted for, or from holding office, or who attempts by menaces to deter any such citizen from the exercise or enjoyment of the rights of citizenship above mentioned, shall be punished by a fine of not less than $100 nor more than $3,000, or imprisonment in the common jail for not less than thirty days nor more than one year; 3d. That every person legally engaged in preparing a register of voters, or in holding or conducting an election, who wilfully refuses to register the name, or to preserve, count, return or otherwise give the proper legal effect to the vote of any citizen, under any pretence of race or color, shall be punished by a fine not less than $500 or no more than $4,000, or imprisonment in the common jail not less than three calendar months nor more than two years; 4th. That the District Courts of the United States shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all offenses against this act, and the district attorneys, marshals, and deputy marshals and commissioners appointed by circuit and territorial courts of the U. S, shall have the power of arresting, imprisoning or bailng offenders, and every other officer especially empowered by the President of the United States, shall be and they are hereby required, at the expense the United States, to institute proceedings against any person who violates this act and cause him to be arrested and imprisoned or bailed, as the case may be, for trial before such court as by this act has cognizance of the offense: 5th. That every citizen unlawfully deprived of the rights of citizenship secured by this act, under any pretence of race or color, may maintain a suit against any person so depriving him and recover damages in the District Court of the United States for the district in which such person may be found.

Mr. SUMNER, in the course of his speech, said: "Do not complain if I speak strongly. The occasion demands it. I seek to save the Senate from participation in a degrading pretension. Others may be cool and indifferent; but I have warred with slavery too long not to be aroused, when this old enemy shows his head under another alias. It was once slavery; it is now caste; and the same excuse is assigned now as then. It was in the name of State rights that slavery, with all its brood of wrongs, was upheld; and it is now in the name of State rights that caste, also fruitful of wrong, is upheld. The old champions reappear under other names, and from other States, each crying out that under the National Constitution, notwithstanding even its supplementary amendments, a State may, if it please, deny political rights on account of race or color, and that they may establish that silent institution, a caste. This perversity, which, to a silent observer, seems so incomprehensible, is easily understood, when it is considered that the present generation grew up under an interpretation of the National Constitution supplied by the upholders of slavery. State rights were exalted, and the nation was humbled, because in this way slavery might be protected. Anything for slavery was constitutional. Such is the lesson we were taught. How often it has sounded through this chamber, and been proclaimed in speech as law. Under its influence the right of petition was denied, the atrocious slave bill was enacted, and the claim was advanced that slavery traveled with the flag of the Republic. Vain are all our victories, if this terrible rule is not reversed, so States rights shall yield to human rights, and the nation be exalted, as the bulwark of all this will be the crowning victory of the war. Beyond all question the rule under the National Constitution, especially since its amendments, is that anything for human rights is constitutional. Yes, sir; against the old rule, anything for slavery, I put the new, anything for human rights. There can be no State rights against human rights, and this is the supreme law of the land, anything in the Constitution or laws of any State to the contrary notwithstanding."

He then argued at length against the assumption that under the Constitution the power of suffrage belongs to the States, and summed up his argument upon it upon two propositions, first, that there is absolutely nothing in the National Constitution to sustain the pretension of caste or oligarchy of the skin, as set up by certain States; and second, that there is in the National Constitution a succession and reduplication of powers investing Congress with ample authority to suppress such pretension.

Mr. VICKERS followed in opposition to the proposed amendment. He was still speaking when Senate took a recess.

Evening Session.—No quorum present till 8:20 p. m., when Mr. VICKERS continued his speech.

Mr. WILLEY spoke in favor of the Constitutional Amendment.

Mr. BUCKALEW briefly advocated his own amendment.

Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. BOUTWELL, from Judiciary Committee, reported a bill for the relief of Admiral Farragut, and officers and men of his fleet that passed Forts Philips and Jackson under fire. The bill provides they shall be entitled to the benefit of the prize law, in the same manner as they would have been if the District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana had been then open and the prizes libelled therein. It gives cognizance of the case to any United States Court having admiralty jurisdiction, and directs the payment of the awards out of the Treasury.

Mr. BUTLER supported the bill, which passed without a division.

Mr. WOOD introduced a bill to promote the progress of the fine arts. Referred to Committee on Patents. It provides for the registry of new and artistic designs and for the erection of the office of Register of Fine Arts.

Mr. BUTLER, of Massachusetts, offered a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to furnish information as to the state of American fisheries on the coast of British North American provinces, the license, tonnage duties levied, and the state of the trade between the provinces and the United States. Adopted.

Mr. SPALDING, from Committee on Appropriations, reported back the Senate amendment to the Navy Appropriation bill. Referred to Committee of the Whole, and made the special order for Monday next.

Several private bills were passed.

Mr. BROOKS presented, as a question of privilege, a resolution for the discharge of Florence Scannel, the recusant witness brought from New York, from the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, without costs, which, after considerable discussion, was laid on the table.

Mr. WILSON, of Ohio, offered a resolution instructing the Postoffice Committee to inquire into the expediency of amending the postal laws to require all mail matter to be paid in advance, except that now entitled by law to go free. Adopted.

Mr. LAWRENCE, of Ohio, introduced a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

[The proposed article was published a few days ago.]

Mr. POLSLEY introduced a bill to provide for the holding of a term of the District Court of the United States at Lewisburg, West Virginia. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Army Appropriation bill.

Mr. HOOPER made a speech on finance.

Mr. BLAINE, Maine, explained the Army Appropriation bill, and expressed himself in favor of a reduction of the army to thirty regiments. He suggested that on Monday next, when a motion to suspend the rules would be in order, such a motion be made, to allow of the offering of an amendment to reduce the army, if any gentleman could in the meantime devise a plan for that purpose.

Mr. GARFIELD reminded the House that the Committee on Military Affairs had, at the last session, reported a bill well prepared and considered for the reduction of the army, but that, as it did not meet the views of the members, it had been overloaded with amendments and thus killed. The Committee had not been called this session, except in the first days of the session, when the Secretary of War and the General of the Army desired that, in view of the Indian hostilities, no reduction should be made. The Committee was ready any time for the last eight months to report a measure of reduction, and if the House consented, thought he would be ready by Monday to report some measure which he hoped would receive the sanction of the House. He had some doubts whether they had not better wait for the suggestions of the incoming administration.

Mr. LAWRENCE, of Ohio, asked his colleague whether it was not expedient to consolidate the army into thirty-nine, or less, regiments, and reduce the officers to the number required for that number of regiments?

Mr. GARFIELD replied that several of the regiments, and especially the Infantry, could be consolidated. He could not say exactly what number could be. The Committee on Military Affairs had been engaged for the last ten or twelve days in taking testimony of the most thoughtful officers of the army on the whole subject of army organization, and although he was not yet authorized to express the opinion of the Committee, as for himself he was clearly of the opinion several of the staff departments of the army might be consolidated, thereby increasing efficiency and effecting a considerable reduction of expenses. He hoped to be able to report a proposition to that effect on Monday. If it were understood that the Committee on Military Affairs wanted to have an opportunity to offer an amendment of that sort to this bill, he thought he would be ready to do so.

Mr. LAWRENCE asked whether, when the skeleton regiments were consolidated, the number of officers should not at the same time be reduced?

Mr. GARFIELD —Certainly; that ought to be done; but speaking for myself, I do not think that public policy or public justice requires us to muster out of service directly officers of the army. I think we ought to make it prospective, and by absorption it could be done rapidly enough, if Congress would stop all promotions and all commissioning of new officers. The rate at which officers were now leaving the army was very great. During the past year five hundred persons holding commissions in the army had gone out, and if the measure which he suggested had been adopted last year, the number of officers would have been reduced by that amount.

Mr. PILE spoke in favor of the reduction, and thought, if time were given to elaborate, covering the whole subject, that the expenses might be reduced from eight to twelve millions.

Mr. LOGAN said if the Committee on Military Affairs proposed to renew the offer of last year, he would say it was a humbug. It was better to have sixty regiments as skeletons, than have thirty regiments consolidated, if the number of officers were to be retained. The correct way was to reduce the rank of officers according to duties required.

Mr. WENDOM expressed his surprise that the gentleman of the Committee on Military Affairs had not had time to attend to this matter, when he had such ample time to attend to the business of Indian Committee. He was in favor of the reduction of the army, and he hoped the army appropriation bill would be postponed for a week, in order to give the Committee on Military Affairs a chance to attend to their business.

After further discussion, Mr. FARNSWORTH asked unanimous consent that the Chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs might move his amendment and that it be printed.

Consent given. Recess, the evening session to be for general debate only.

Evening Session.—Mr. JULIAN argued that the true policy of the Government in the matter of the resumption of specie payment, was that of masterly inactivity, and after the abolishment of land speculation, reform of the Indian treaty system, and reconstruction of legislation respecting mineral lands to develope the national wealth.

Mr. BROOMALL argued, in the absence of all other disturbing causes, the retiring of $150,000,000 of notes would bring a return to specie payment. He opposed fixing a day for resumption, and supported the bill presented by himself for the exchange of gold for notes at existing rate through a period of years.

Mr. PRUYN also spoke on finances and Mr. MULLINS on political philosophy and constitutional law.

Adjourned.

Central America News.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, February 5.—The steamer Rising Star, from Aspinwall, brings $714,000 in treasure.

Fires at Valparaiso, December 31st, occasioned loss of property to the amount of several hundred thousand dollars. A number of persons perished in the flames.

The Bolivian government has given out the contract to Robert R. Brown for the construction of a railroad from Cobayi to Potex, estimated to cost twenty-five or thirty millions. Peru has agreed to prolong the Jacna railway to the Bolivian frontier, whence Farafin & Co. agree to continue it to Lopas for five millions sterling.

Two ships had arrived at Valparaiso in eight days from Glasgow within a quarter of an hour of each other. They sailed together, but only sighted each other during the voyage.

Eight lives were lost by the wreck of the Italian bark Oberan on the coast of Chili.

The Peruvian expedition, under charge of Ex Admiral Tucker, formerly of the Confederate navy, has demonstrated that the Ucargila river is the true source of the Amazon, and not the Maconan, as formerly supposed.

A serious row occurred at Aspinwall, January 22d, between the United States sailors from the steamer Tallapoosa and some two hundred Jamaica negroes. One of the sailors was killed.

Railroad Accident.

SCRANTON, Pa., February 5.—A passenger train on the Lackawanna and Bloomsburg Railroad ran off the track at Beach Haven this morning. Many persons were injured, but not fatally. Hon. Galusha A. Grow was severely burned.

Railroad Fare Bill Vetoed.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—To-day Gov. Palmer vetoed Fuller's bill to regulate fairs on railroads in Illinois. It is likely to be sustained.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW ORLEANS, February 5.—Cotton; receipts to-day, 5,430 bales; for the week, 2,889 bales; exports to-day, 628 bales; exports for the week—to continent, 4,016 bales; to Vera Cruz, 239 bales; coastwise, 7,817 bales; stock, 15,923 bales; sales to-day, 3,500 bales; for the week, 50,570 bales; market irregular and ⅛a¼c lower; middling, 28¾a29c. Sugar steady; common, 10¾a10¾c; prime 12¾a13c; yellow clarified, 14¾a15c. Molasses steady; centrifugal, 60a65c; prime, 66a70c. Whiskey firmer; Western rectified, $1,00a1,07½. Coffee; fair, 13¼a13½c; prime, 16¾a17½c.

CHICAGO, February 5.—*Evening*—In the afternoon a moderate business was done in No. 2 Spring Wheat at a shade higher prices, closing firm at $1,15½. Corn and Oats quiet and nominally unchanged. Nothing done in Grain markets in the evening. Mess Pork was moderately active closing firm at outside figures; sales 500 barrels, seller, March, at $33,50. 200 barrels same option $33,40; 700 barrels same option, $33,50; 200 barrels on the spot at $33,00. Meat inactive but holders firm. Lard offered at 20¾.

MEMPHIS, February 5.—Cotton quiet, firmand nominal at 29c; buyers operate cautiously; receipts 1,090 bales; exports 1,329; week's receipts 16,104; exports 7,594; stock on hand 21,588. Flour; low grades firm, scarce and prices unchanged. Corn 72½a73c. Oats 75c. Hay $25. Bran $24a25. Bulk Meats firm: shoulders 14c; sides 17¾a18c. Pork $33a33,50. Lard 21a22c.

BUFFALO, February 5.—Flour steady. Wheat—peddling lots selling at $1,54 for No. 1. Corn—fair demand but lower; 20 cars sold at 77a79c for new on track; one car old at 89c in store. Oats nominal; sales at 61c for Western. Rye nominal; sales at $1,35 for Western. Barley firm. Pork and lard unchanged. High wines unsettled and neglected.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 5.—Flour unchanged and dull. Wheat; choice shipping $1,75. Legal Tenders 74½c.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

The re-union of the Old and New School Churches seems possible from the vote of the Presbyteries of both bodies. One hundred of the one hundred and forty-two Old School Presbyteries have now taken action on re-union since the last Assembly met. Ninety-four vote for re-union on the basis of the standards, thirty-seven of these approving also of the basis sent down by the General Assemblies. The great majority of the New School Presbyteries have approved of the basis sent down by the General Assemblies. The question of re-union on the basis of the standards will be ordered at their meetings in the spring. The most hopeful sign of re-union is a better understanding of the terms by which it may be accomplished, that at the next meeting of the Assemblies, the differences of opinion may possibly be harmonized, and the good work be consummated. The conflict of ideas and old settled views on certain doctrinal points and polity, is in a transition state, while the assimilation of hearts seems to be complete, and nothing is now wanting but to adjust the supposed barriers, and forms necessary to complete the re-union.

The *Independent* gives some curious facts in regard to the practice of infant baptism in the Methodist Episcopal Church. In the New England Conferences the adult baptisms are about seven times as many as the infant baptisms, and one infant only is baptized to about one hundred and forty-three members. In the Baltimore Conference, said to be the garden spot in Methodism, there are six times as many children as adults baptized, and one infant baptism to about nine members. Taking the average of the whole number, infant baptisms is two-thirds of the adult baptisms, or one infant to twenty-seven Church members. These facts indicate that in New England the duty enjoyed by the Church, for parents to have their children baptized is neglected, while in Baltimore the Disciplinary obligation is genrally observed.

From correspondence touching the late session of the Mississippi Conference, mainly composed of colored ministers, presided over by Bishop Simpson, we are informed that so strong was the social prejudice that but two white men were present during any part of the Conference services, and but one white woman —and she a teacher of the negroes. This fact will serve to illustrate the barriers against the efforts of the Methodist Episcopal Church to carry on its work in the South.

Last week over eleven hundred conversions and accessions to the United Brethren Church were reported in the *Religious Telescope*, the organ of that denomination. This week's issue about seven hundred and fifty are reported.

Presbyterianism is growing in Boston, notwithstanding the disadvantages hitherto in the way. The *Evangelist* thinks Presbyterianism in that city is an *exotic* struggling for an existence among the overshadowing forms of ecclesiastical life, native to the Puritan soil. Rev. Mr. Dunn, lately called to the pastorate of the Beacon street church in Boston, is enjoying a refreshing season, and many are joining the church every week.

Bishop M'Ilvaine, of the Episcopal Diocese of Ohio, thinks very properly that the performance of florid anthems, and the weary repetition of operatic strains by the choir, of solos and duets, in words which might as well be Pottawattomie, as far as any understanding of them is concerned, is a nuisance quite intolerable.

The temperance question is agitated with great force in Church and State in Massachusetts. Many of the ministers are preaching a series of sermons on this topic. Rev. Mr. Murray, of Park street church, Boston, in his first discourse of the series of "Temperance Sermons" took the ground that to save the individual drunkard would never remove the evil. The people must be so educated as to permit no legislation whatever upon the subject, and therefore banish the traffic altogether.

Father Doane, who has been soliciting funds for the endowment of the American Roman Catholic College at Rome, has been favored with great success in the Catholic Dioceses in the East. The funds now amount to over one hundred thousand dollars, and the field has only been partially canvassed. Father Doane, we believe, is now on a tour of the Western cities.

The Catholic Church is the patron of vocal and instrumental music in the highest sense, in connection with its services in the public worship. It is represented that St. Martin's (Catholic) Church, of Baltimore, makes its vespers approach very nearly to a concert. Two Sabbaths ago the religious services began with an overture and closed with a march, and between these were selections from "St. Paul," "Moses in Egypt," and "Lombardi."

The *Watchman and Reflector* says within about fifty years the Baptist churches in Boston have increased from three to fourteen, and within a series of ten miles round the city, from seven to thirty-five.

The opposition to the consecration of Dr. Doane, elected Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany, New York, arises in part to his course when he was living in Hartford, in requiring candidates for confirmation to repeat certain prayers at certain fixed hours each day for a period of time, varying at his option, before they would be admitted to the sacrifice of the Holy Eucharist.

The new volume of *Zion's Herald* published in Boston, is greatly improved in its mechanical appearance, since the printing has been done by the celebrated "Riverside Press Company," and, if anything, the matter is better. Two of the issues, since the first of January, have contained cuts of "Governor Claflin," of Massachusetts, and Father Taylor, the noted Chaplain of the Sailors' Bethel, in Boston. The paper is printed in the same form as *Harper's Weekly*, 16 pp. The editor, Rev. Gilbert Haven, is a talented writer, well traveled, and an author of decided merit. He is progressive, earnest, and indefatigable in all that he undertakes.

The simple fact that eight hundred ladies from Boston, and the neighboring towns, assembled in Boston recently, in spite of a drizzling rain and almost impassable streets, to celebrate the first annual meeting of the Congregational Woman's Board of Missions, and to take counsel together for the Christianization of their sex in heathen lands, is an era of great significance. No one will surely object to this sort of Woman's Rights. This is a step in the right direction.

The *Protestant Churchman* takes the ground that the Provincial system just introduced is revolutionary. It regards the organic law of the Church imperiled, if not already overturned.

Revival power has been strongly developed in the Union Centenary Methodist Episcopal church of Etna and Sharpsburg charge, under the pastoral care of Rev. Wesley Smith. Special meetings have been in progress for several weeks. The work extends even to the homes of the people, and a number have been converted in their houses and on their way to the church. Sixty united with the church during the first week. A number have been added since, and the interest is unabated. Rev. Mr. Smith has long been a devoted minister and has been instrumental in doing much good in the different churches of which he has had pastoral charge.

WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH THE LITTLE CHILDREN ON SUNDAY?

"Take them to church, of course," says one. Now, I don't think it is "of course," when I look about, and see little things of four and six years old, and sometimes younger, fidgeting and squirming in their out-door wrappings, in a hot, crowded, badly ventilated church, to whom the services are a dead language, and who prevent those around them from worship, through pity for their evident uncomfortableness. I don't think it is "of course" when I see this. To be sure, there are mothers whose pockets contain alleviations for this juvenile restlessness, in the shape of sugar plums, or picture books; but all the time they are being applied, the mother's eyes must be on the child instead of the clergyman, lest sticky fingers intrude upon silk or velvet, or a too hasty rattling of leaves in reading the book drown the sound of the preacher's voice. "They should be taught to behave," gravely asserts some person, who, perhaps, has forgotten his own childhood, or has never been a parent.

This is true; we only differ as to the question whether church is the place to pursue that education. "Well, suppose you keep a child of that age at home?" asks another. "Of course he ought not to play with his toys as on other days, and he can't read all day, and no one can read all day to him, and what are you going to do then?" In the first place, I, for one, should never "take away its toys" before I could enable it to pass away Sunday pleasantly without them; and of course, I should not allow them to interfere with other persons' enjoyment of quiet on Sunday. It is a very difficult problem to solve, I know; but I am sure to make Sunday a tedium and disgust, is not the way; we have all known too many sad instances of the terrible rebound of adult years from this un-wisdom. We have all known instances where "going to meeting" was not prematurely forced upon the restless little limbs of children, who have, when a little older, asked to accompany the family to worship, and been pleased to go. Nor would I deprive a child of its accustomed walk in the fresh air on that day; on the contrary, I should be most anxious that it should as usual enjoy the out-door brightness. I would also always have for that day some little pleasure which belonged especially to it. It may be some plain little cakes or nuts of which it was fond. I would always have on hand some stories to read, or to tell it on that day. If possible, I would have flowers on Sunday placed at the child's plate; I would strive that Sunday should be the cheerfulest day of all the week to it—not a bugbear. I believe all this might be done, without disturbing any Christian's church-membership, or periling any child's salvation. In the country it is much easier to make Sunday pleasant for children than in the city. You have only to let them stray into the garden or field, and be happy in the best way a little uninformed mind can be. Or, if the weather interferes with this, the barn and the animals are a never failing source of pleasure to it.

There are those who might think it "wicked" to do this. The wickedness to me, consists in making Sunday, which should be a delight, such a tedium, that in after years, whenever the word strikes upon the ear, or the day returns, the first impulse is to shun and evade it. Oh, let Sunday be what the memory of "mother's room" is to us all—radiant with perfume of flowers and sunshine. The bright spot to look back upon, when old age sits in the chimney corner with the sweet psalm from voices hushed by death, or far removed, still sounding in the ears, with the memory of happy faces over the Sunday meal; the glad "Good morning" and the soft Good night."

Surely that God who opens the flowers on Sunday, and lets the birds sing, did not mean that we should close our eyes to the one or our ears to the other, or that we should throw a pall over the little children.

FANNY FERN.

THE MOSLEM.

A young Hindoo has been traveling largely in India, and has written a book thereupon, which is published in England. He does not like the region of India, and of those of Islam he speaks as follows:

It is well that the great Mogul is extinct—and it would be well for mankind if the Grand Turk also were no more. No curse that has afflicted the human race has ever been so baneful as that which Mohomedan rule has proved itself to mankind. The Moslem rose as a storm wave to entomb all the great works of ancient power and wisdom beneath its deluge, and to plunge the world into a state of barbarism that has perpetuated despotism, ignorance and anarchy for many a long century. He has never been better than a gloomy enthusiast, hating, spurning and slaying all who did not believe and call upon the Prophet;

One of that saintly, murderous brood,
To carnage and the Koran given,
Who think through unbelievers' blood
Lies the directest path to heaven.

His history is made up only of burning, massacres, and pillages—it is one long uniform tale of cruelty without remorse, and of offence without prayer or penance. His government has been that under which life hung by a thread, and female honor was exposed to the risks of violence. What has been his conduct toward heirs and competitors for the throne, but a quiet disposal of them by the bowstring, dagger, or poison? How did he treat his wives and mistresses for their slips, but with the sack, halter, or living burial? What other has been the principle of his government than physical force, and plunder and extortion? In what opinion did he hold his subjects, but as beasts of burden and beasts of prey? In what light did he view woman but as a pretty toy, soulless as much as his turban, his pipe, and his amber mouth piece? The Moslem has left the indelible traces of his presence everywhere in the ruin of countries; and in the slavery of nations. His great object was to slaughter and destroy, and to make a glory of his destruction. He was born not for the progress, but the retrogression of mankind—not for amelioration, but for the perpetuation of evil. He never sought to dispel ignorance, and sowed no seeds of improvement to elevate the condition of mankind. "But for the accident which gave Charles Martel the victory over the Saracens at Tours, Arabic and Persian had been the classical languages, and Islamism the religion of Europe; and where we have cathedrals and colleges we might have had mosques and mausoleums, and America and the Cape, the compass and the press, the steam engine, the telescope, and the Copernican system, might have remained undiscovered to the present day. Under the progress which the world has made now, the Mohamedan has become an obsoleteism —and to tolerate his existence is to tolerate an anomaly—a diseased limb endangering the soundness of the whole system. It it were possible to destroy all Mohamedan institutions, and to eradicate all Mohamedan traditions, by one vigorous and simultaneous effort, and if all that is Mohamedan in name or spirit were to become extinct by a combination of circumstances, it would be well for mankind, and rid the world of its greatest enemy. The Mohamedan sits as an oppressive incubus upon society, hindering the onward progress of some three hundred millions of men, and to ignore the evil of his existence is the highest treason to the cause of humanity.

Turkish Fasting and Feasting.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 30, 1868.

The great Mahometan fast of the Ramazan is in full vigor at present, and a wonderful specimen of religious self-denial it is, too. The Law of the Prophet requires that all true believers shall abstain entirely from food, drink, and smoking, from sunrise to sunset, every day during the lunar month. When the month Ramazan comes at this season—when daylight is dwindled down to the few hours between seven and half-past four—the observance of the fast is not difficult. But when the lunar cycle bring the fast into smeltering June, with its long hot days, then is the time that tries the nerve of the most bigoted Turk. The rich manage to get along pretty well in either case, as they can sleep all day until the sunset gun awakens them to the festivities of the night, but for the working classes it is pretty hard to have to go it for ten hours of hard labor on the remembrance of last night's luscious "pallav," and the prospect of a coffee and pipe full of Latakia tobacco when the sun sets to-night.

The regulations require good Mohametans to be most strict in the observance of the five hours of prayer, and the mosques are consequently crowded, and this affords opportunity for relief in one respect. All Turks must perform careful ablutions before venturing within the mosques for prayer, and I saw one old chap washing his hands and face the other day, who, when he thought nobody was looking, let some of the water from the fountain run into his mouth. True, he spat it forth right bravely, his conscience wouldn't allow him to swallow a drop, but at all events he had the satisfaction of feeling the water upon his parched tongue.

Among other curious rules of this fast is one which makes it a deadly sin for a man to look at a woman, even in passing on the street, and when the ladies of the harems ride out, as they always do in Ramazan, all good Turks take good care to keep a proper distance from the carriages.

The Turks are always snappish, surly brutes during the fast, particularly as the day draws to a close, and they are counting the minutes which elapse before sundown. But at night all changes. Half an hour before sunset you may see the people flocking to the coffee-shops—and there seated in long, glum rows they wait —their pipes charged, and all in silent expectation. Five minutes after sunset—the delay is to make sure the sun has actually set—five minutes after sunset, bang! goes the cannon at the War Department, and before its echoes, caught up from gun to gun, have died on the Bosphorus, twice ten thousand pipes have suddenly burst into smoky life, and the atmosphere is murky with the fragrant puffs, while in and out among the busy smokers, the dexterous waiters dart with precious freight of thick black coffee.

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OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, February 5, 1868.

The market is steady and barely active, though not so much excited as during last week and the week preceding, and there is a continued fair demand for all good reliable brands. Prices, although unchanged, are firm and fully sustained, and the demand keeps up pretty well the supply.

(In our report of last week, we stated that the volume of business was light, when such was not the case, one house alone reported sales of some *twenty five thousand tons.* This occurred in this way: we did not receive the sales of the house above referred to, until after our report had been written up and put in type.)

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Financial Matters in New York.

Gold Closed at 135¼.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, February 5, 1869.

MONEY.

Money easy at 6@7 per cent., with indications that a lower figure will be the general rate. The banks are beginning to invest freely in Government bonds, as they cannot employ all their surplus funds on call. There are signs of still greater ease in the immediate future. The Assistant Treasurer is receiving large amounts of currency daily in exchange for three per cent. certificates, and it is now semi-officially announced that sales of gold and bonds are likely to take place during the next four weeks. The Philadelphia firm, Richey, Sharp & Co., whose failure is announced, propose to compromise at seventy-five cents on the dollar within one year, which will probably be accepted. Sterling weak at 9¼@9½ per cent. Gold quiet and steady within the range of 135@135¼, closing at 135½.

BONDS AND STOCKS.

Governments strong. The recent liberal shipments, and the fact that large amounts of coupon bonds have been taken off the market by investors and and turned into registered stocks, are beginning to enhance prices. Floating stocks have been materially reduced and the tendency is upward. Coupons of 1881, 112⅛@112¼; do. '62, 113¾@113¼; do. '64, 109¾@110; do. '65, 111@111¼; new do., 108¾@109; do. '67, 109@109¼; do. '68, 109⅛@109¾; Ten-Forties, 108½@108⅝.

State bonds without decided change. Missouris, 86@86½; Old Tennessees, 67½@67¾; New Tennessees, 67@67½; North Carolinas, 61@62; Virginias, 61@63.

The stock market opened steady, though feverish. Western shares were generally higher. The Pittsburgh and Fort Wayne was noticeably firm, doubts being entertained as to the constitutionality of the recent act of the Legislature at Harrisburg, relative to the latter road. The Northwestern was strong and active, and a considerable amount of preferred stock was purchased for shipment. The New York Central was weak, and fell to 160¾, on the report that the Jenckes' injunction case had been decided against the Company. Later in the day this report was contradicted, and the stock advanced to 165. The rest of the Vanderbilt stock sympathizes with the Central. Early in the morning the market was strong and the bull interest was in the ascendant, while a disposition to cover shorts assisted. The decision of Judge Ingrahm makes the increase of the capital of the New York Central to twenty-nine millions by convertion of bonds perfectly legal. The injunction against the eighty per cent. certificates being dissolved, that against the payment of dividend on script certificates is continued, until further orders of the Court. The diversity of opinion as to the effect of the decision has again occasioned a fall in shares, and under heavy sales Central declined to 161¼, which had an affect over the remainder of the list, and subsequently, as the above facts became known, the market grew stronger and part of the decline was recovered and prices were very firm at the close. Rock Island was the strongest stock. There is little interest in Erie on the street; sales early as low as 35¼. A report is afloat for a new stock board, at which Erie and all other stocks can be dealt in. Express Shares steady. Miscellaneous Snares more active and higher.

Five-thirty Prices:—Cumberland, 37@38; Wells Express, 29¼@30½; American, 47@49; Adams, 69@69¼; United States, 64¾@65; Merchants' Union, 19@20; Quicksilver, 23@23½; Canton, 59¾@61; Pacific Mail, 116¾@117; Western Union Telegraph, 38@38½; Hartford and Erie, 28; Mariposa, 7½@8; do. preferred, 25⅜@25¾; New York Central, 162½@162¾; Erie, 36½@37; Hudson, 135¾@136; Harlem, 130@137; Reading, 94½; Terre Haute, 40½; pref. 69; Wabash, 63¾@64; preferred, 77½@79; St. Paul, 64¾@65; preferred, 79@79¼; Ft. Wayne, 118@118¾; Ohio and Mississippi, 36¾@36⅞; Michigan Central, 119½@120; Michigan Southern, 93½@93⅝; Illinois Central, 138¼@139; Pittsburgh, 93¾@94; Toledo, 104¾@105; Rock Island, 132@132¼; Northwestern, 83¾@84; do. preferred, 91¼@92; Chicago and Alton, 153; Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indiana, 52¼; Lake Shore, 102¾.

Mining shares active; Gregory, $2,77; Smith & Parmalee, $2,25; Montana 2,55; Walkill, 32@34.

Copper Stocks at Boston—Calumet, 50, Copper Falls, 14½; Franklin, 17; Hecla, 90; Hancock, 3; Minnesota, 2.

Receipts at Sub-Treasury, $1,702,839; payments, $851,655; balance, $84,934,447.

BALTIMORE, February 5.—Flour nominal. Wheat flat; prime to choice red, $2,20a2,25. Corn firm; receipts small; sales of white at 88a90c; yellow at 86a89c. Oats firm at 70a75c. Rye dull at $1.50. Mess pork firm at $33. Bacon firm; rib sides, 17¾a18c; clear do, 18¾c; shoulders, 15¾c. Hams, 20c. Lard, 21c.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, February 5.—Cotton less active and scarcely so firm, with sales of 3,600 bales at 30¼c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts, 3,823 bbls; without decided change in prices and only a very moderate business doing; sales of 5,400 bbls at $5,65a6.20 for superfine State and western; $6,80a7,10 for extra State; $5,55a7,40 for extra western; $7,50 8,90 for white wheat extra; $6,65a8,75 for Round Hoop Ohio; $7,50a8.50 for extra St. Louis; $6a12 for good choice do, closing quiet. Rye flour quiet; sales of 180 bbls at $5,25a7,35. Corn meal quiet and unchanged. Wheat; receipts of 150 bush; steady and a moderate business doing; sales of 26,000 bush at $1,51 for No. 3 spring in store; $1,60 for No. 2 do delivered, $1,62 for No. 1 and 2 do mixed, and $2,15 for white Michigan. Rye dull, with sales of 1,000 bush western at $1,48 in store. Barley steady; sales of 72,900 bush Canada West at $2,13a2,15, chiefly at the inside price; also sales 3,000 bush German at $2,20. Malt dull. Corn; receipts of 18,[illegible]00 bush; a shade firmer; sales 58,000 at 88a90c for new mixed western, and $1,02 for old do delivered. Oats; receipts of 3,098 bushels; some speculative inquiry; sales of 57,000 bush at 75½a76c for Western in store, and 76½a77c for do. afloat. Rice firm and quiet. Coffee firm; sales of 50,000 sks Rio on private terms. Sugar firm, with a fair request; sales of 1,800 bbls Cuba. Molasses dull. Petroleum firm at 22c, and crude, 37½c. Refined bonded hops quiet at 8a16c. American linseed oil firm at $1,04a$1,06. Spirits turpentine quiet and drooping at 56½a57c. Pork—sales of 1,360 bbls at $32,75a$33,00 for new mess; $32,00a$32 25 for old mess, $26,00a$27,00 for prime, and $29,00a$31,50 for prime mess; also, 2,500 bbls new mess for sellers for March at $33,00a$33,50. Beef active and steady; sales of 900 bbls; tierce beef dull; sales of 170 tierces at 27a32c for prime mess, and 31a37c for Indiana mess. Beef hams quiet; sales of 120 bbls at 30a34c. Cut meats firm; sales of 400 packages at 14a 14½c for shoulders, and 18½c for hams. Dressed hogs firmer at 15a15½c for Western, and 15¾a16c for city; middles firm and quiet, 225 boxes sold at 16a16¼c for Cumberland cut, 17c for short ribbed, and 17¼c for long ribbed. Clear lard heavy and lower; sales of 680 tierces at 19¼a20c for steam rendered, and 20⅞a 21⅛c for kettle rendered; also, 2,500 tierces steam rendered for sellers for March, April, June and July at 20¾c. Butter quiet at 25a35c for Ohio. Cheese firm. Freights to Liverpool dull. Engagements: 20,000 bush wheat per sail at 6d.

Latest.—Flour closed steady and without decided change. Wheat quiet and steady, with a limited export demand for spring. Rye dull, at $1,48a1,50 for western. Oats steady, at 76c in store for western. Corn steady at 88a90c for new mixed western, and $1,02 in store and afloat for old mixed western. Pork quiet at $33 for new mess, cash and regular, and $33,25a33,50 seller for April. Beef firm and more active. Cut meats firm. Bacon firm and in fair demand. Lard steady at 20¾a20⅞ for fair to prime steam. Eggs, 24a26.

CHICAGO, February 5.—Eastern Exchange is in good supply, at 1-10 off buying, and 1-10 premium selling. Flour is a shade more active, quiet and unchanged. Wheat is in moderate request and steady, with sales of No. 1 at $1,23a 1,24½; No. 2 at $1,15¼a1,15¼, and sales since change at $1,15½. Corn in moderate demand; sales new at 58½c, no grades 53¼a51c, closing at 58¼a58⅝c for new; sales of new at 58c sellers for the last half of February and first half of March, 60½c buyers for March; No. 1 sold at 70c sellers for the last half of February and first half of May, and No. 2 at 65c sellers for all of May. Oats in good speculative demand; opened at 51½c, ruled firm, sold up to 52½c, closing at 52c. Rye dull; sales No. 1 at $1,16a 1,16½c, and No. 2 at $1,14¾c. Barley a shade more active and higher; sales at $1,83a1.85 regular and fresh, closing quiet at $1,83 regular. Highwines quiet and nearly nominal at 90c. Mess Pork; sales at $32,50a32,62½ cash and sellers for the month, $33,50 buyers for the month, at close particular brands were held at $32,75a38. Lard is quiet and held at 20½c, cash, and at 21c, buyer, month and seller, March. Shoulders, 13c; rough sides, 15c; Cumberland, 15c for light and 15a15¼c for heavy; short rib, 16c; short clear, 17c; sweet pickled hams are active and choice city sell at 17¼c. Dressed Hogs are active at $14a14,37½ for light; $14,75a15 for heavy and closing firm at $14,25a14,75 for choice lots, dividing on 200. The receipts for the past twenty-four hours were:—3,095 bbls flour; 7,400 bush wheat; 45,125 bush corn; 8,448 bush oats; 350 bush rye; 1,600 bush barley; 3,525 head of hogs. Shipments during the same period were:—9,399 bbls flour, 5,341 bush wheat; 13,792 bush corn; 18,670 bush oats; 370 bush rye; 1,709 bush barley; 3,550 head of hogs.

ST. LOUIS, February 5.—Tobacco in good demand and prices unchanged. Cotton higher; sales of Missouri low middling at 28¾c. Hemp; nothing done. Flour buoyant for good superfine and low extras, which are rather scarce; superfine sold at $5,50a6,00; extra $6,10a 6,50 double extra $6,75a7,75. Wheat unchanged; fall $1,50a1,95; spring sold at $1,31 for No. 2 and $1,40 for No. 1. Corn inactive, at 73a75c for choice to fancy white. Oats firmer at 63a65c. Barley quiet and steady, at $1,85a2,12½ for spring. Rye dull and unchanged at $1,25. Whisky dull, with no buyers at 92½c. Pork stiff and higher at $32.50, and some small lots sold at $33. Bulk Meats very firm, but only a retail business done, at 13¼a13¾c for shoulders; 16¾c for clear rib sides, and 17¼c for clear sides. Bacon firm, with a large demand; city shoulders sold at 14¾c; clear rib sides 17½a17¾c; clear sides 18a18¼c. Lard firm but quiet, at 20½a21c for prime tierce and 22a22½c for do. keg. Receipts—Flour, 2,000 bbls; wheat, 5,200 bush; corn, 2,800 bush; oats, 4,900 bush; barley, 1,000 bush; rye, 1,000 bush; hogs, 5,75 head.

CINCINNATI, February 5.—Flour and Grain unchanged and dull. Cotton quiet; middling, 28¾c. Whiskey dull at 95c. Mess Pork strong and rather higher; sales at $33 cash; also buyers this month at the same rate. Lard quiet, but firm, at 20½c. Bulk Meats firm, but quiet; sales 100,000 lbs. at 13¼a15½c, delivered at Lafayette, Indiana, and 190,000 lbs. at 13¼a15½c here, loose. Bacon firm; sales of 60 hhds at 14¾c for shoulders, and 17½a18c for clear rib and clear sides. Sugar Cured Hams in demand at 19a 19½c. Butter unchanged and quiet at 28a33c. Eggs firm and have advanced to 21c. Groceries firm and in good demand. Gold 134¾ buying. Exchange steady.

CLEVELAND, January 5.—Flour dull for city made; $11a11,25 for treble extra white; $9,50a9,75 for double extra amber; $8,25a8,50 for double extra red winter; $7,75a8 for double extra spring, country made; $7.50a8 for double extra red and amber; $7a7,50 for double extra spring; $9.25a10,00 for double extra white. Wheat—No. 1 red winter held at $1,66; No. 2 do. at $1,55. Corn—sales one car shelled at 68c, and one do. ear, on track, at 61c. Oats held at 61c. Petroleum market firm, holders not anxious to sell; refined held at 34a35c, in car lots or over; small lots at 2a3c advance.

TOLEDO, February 5.—Flour steady. Wheat—amber 1¼c for No. 1 and Wabash 1c better; others good; sales of amber at $1,67 for No. 1 red; $1,65 for No. 1 white Michigan. Corn—new and rejected a shade better; no change in other grades; sales at 65c for new; 64c for rejected; 65c for yellow; 65c for No. 1 white. Oats firm and unchanged; Michigan No. 1, 60c; No. 2, 58c. Rye steady at $1,28a 1,30. Barley; small sales at $1,14a1,14½. Mess pork, $31,50. Lard held at 21c with 20c bid.

NEW YORK, February 4.—*Dry Goods*—There is an improved inqulry for all staple cottons and prices are well maintained. In sympathy with raw material, we quote Atlantic A Appleton Heavy Brown Sheetings at 17c, Atlantic fine do. at 14½c, do. J 14c. Pepperell E have risen to 16, R B bring 15, O 14. All fine brands 13. Bay Mill Bleached Muslins at 19½. Arkwright water twill 20, Lonsdale 18, Lvman P 15½, New York Mills 27½, Pepperell 10¼ wide sheeting 57½, Utica 9-4 do. 65, do. 1 8-4 70. Cotton Bags tend upward, Androscoggin, American and Lewistown A 45.

MILWAUKEE, February 5.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat lower, No. 1 at $1,19, No. 2 $1,13. Oats firm at 53a53½c for No. 2. Corn active at 56a57c for new. Rye in demand at $1,10a1,12. Barley nominal. Provisions quiet, firm and unchanged. Dressed Hogs firm at $14a14,50. The receipts for the past twenty-four hours amounted to 1,000 barrels of flour, 100 bushels of corn. Shipments for the same time were 1,000 barrels of flour, 2,000 bushels of wheat and 100 tierces of pork.

PHILADELPHIA, February 5.—Flour more active; Iowa and Wisconsin extra family $7a7,25; Minnesota do. $7,00; Ohio do. $8a9,50; fancy $10,50a11. Wheat in small demand and nominal; sales of 2,000 bushels at $1,60 for red and $1,58 for No. 1 spring. Corn dull; new yellow 85a86. Oats, sales of 3,000 bushels at 72a 74 for western. Petroleum, Groceries and Provisions unchanged. Whisky dull at 97.

LOUISVILLE, February 5.—Sales 92 hogsheads Tobacco, new lugs to medium leaf 4¼ to 13. Cotton 29. Mess Pork $22,50a33,00. Lard 20¼a22. Bulk Shoulders 14; clear rib sides 17¼; clear sides 17¾. Bacon 14¾a15 for clear rib sides, clear sides 18½, all packed. Superfine Flour $5,75a6,35. Wheat $1,70a1,75. Corn 60a65. Oats 60a63. Rye $1,40a1,45. Whisky 95a96.

ST. LOUIS, February 5—*Cattle Market.*—Hogs steady at 10¼a11¼c. Cattle steady and unchanged, at 3a7c for common to choice.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, February 5.—6 cars barley, D R Galway; 78 sks plaster, Burke & Barnes; 1 car clay, S M Kier; 1 car clay, Reese, Graff & Dull; 1 car fire brick, J McClarren; 200 sks oats, Keil & Ritchart; 230 do do, H Schne bach; 97 bdls spokes, Jas Henderson & Son; 6 pails apple jelly, 5 kgs apple butter, 1 bbl pork, R Robinson & Co; 21 bdls chairs, Bedford Chair Co; 1 bbl eggs, Jas Kennedy; 5 bags beans, J J Pettit; 1 bbl butter, Knox & Orr; 5 kgs apple butter, Woodworth & Davison; 8 bbls apples, 2 do butter, 1 do eggs, 1 bx turkeys, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 14 sks oats, J & W Fairley; 530 water pipes, H H Collins; 7 bbls, 1 bx poultry, 10 dressed hogs, 3 sks nuts, Jas Fulton; 5 bbls whisky, M Graver; 1 cask dry apples, A Martin; 4 sks dry peaches, Head & Metzgar; 8 tcs sugar cured hams, Jas Lippincott; 246 sks oats, J & W Fairley; 25 sks turnips, A Paugh.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, February 5.—10 doz brooms, Arbuckles & Co; 12 bbls tallow, 32 green hides, G N Hoffstott; 14 bbls apples, H Rea Jr; 3 cars corn, J W Simpson; 1 car oats, Brown & Williams; 2 cars limestone, Shoenberger & Blair; 100 doz shovel handles, Postly, Nelson & Co; 2 tubs butter, T H Nevin; 5 bbls oil, Geo A Kelly; 1 bbl whisky, J Adler & Co; 10 bbls apples, John Pettit; 9 pkgs twine, Henry Gerwig & Co; 1 car barley, McHenry & Hood; 2 bbls butter, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 6 tubs do, W H Graff & Co; 1,122 rolls roofing paper, Hartman & Lare; 3 cars wheat, W J Meek; 100 bbls flours John Greer & Co; 2 cars wheat, Scott & Gisal; 200 bbls flour, owner.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, February 4.—1 car metal, John Moorhead; 1 car grain, Crawford & Co; 1 car metal, H Woodsides; 1 car hay, Blaney & Moore; 4 bgs flaxseed, Ewer, Hamilton & Co; 2 dressed hogs, Jas Haslett; 18 sks wheat, E Shearer; 32 bags rags, J Lias; 3 bbls tallow, D Smith; 12 pkgs butter and eggs, A Gallagher; 1 car metal, Brown & Co; 150 bbls refined oil, McKelvy & Bro; 1 car rye, G W Lewester; 100 bbls oil, R T Leech; 400 do do, H Metzgar; 640 do do, Fisher & Bro; 120 do do, D M Edgerton; 480 do do, Liberty Oil Works; 520 do do, G S Thomas; 18 bbls tallow, J Hammett & Son.

ALLEGHENY STATION, February 5.—1 car barley, M Weil & Co; 10 bbls lard oil, S M Cummings; 33 sks flaxseed, Ewer, Hamilton & Co; 1 car barley, Gerst & Son; 1 car millfeed, Jas Stewart; 1 car staves, J M Hemphill; 1 car metal, Lindsay & McCutcheon; 2 do do, Graff, Bennett & Co; 5 do do, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 2 do do, Rogers & Barchfield; 7 do do, Lewis, Bailey & Dalzell; 3 cars wheat, R T Kennedy & Bro; 1 car middlings, Geo Stewart; 1 car flaxseed, M B Suydam; 4 rolls leather, Graham & Spangler; 20 bgs buckwheat flour, Joseph Craig; 2 cars wheat, J A Dickson; 1 do do, W McKee & Co; 40 bbls apples, Famer & Co; 1 car lumber, Smith, Criswell & Co; 1 car lath, Taggart & Wilson.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river was about at a stand yesterday with six feet six inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks. Weather continues cold and decidedly winterish; mercury did not rise above 27 degrees during the day, and the wind was in the west.

No arrivals to report, except the Bayard, from Parkersburg. The Sallie, from Louisville, was expected in last evening, and, as will be seen by card, she will at once commence loading for Cincinnati and Louisville again.

The Ida Rees No. 2 is being overhauled and remodeled for a mountain boat. She is now on Reed's dock.

Captain J. T. Stockdale is building another new mountain boat, and Capts. Hiram and George Haslett have also contracted for a new mountain steamer.

The Kate Putnam, Capt. G. W. Reed, is filling up slowly for Nashville, and will be the first boat out. Passengers and shippers will bear in mind that the Putnam is the only boat in port going through to the City of Rocks.

The Wild Duck and barges, Capt. Anawalt, are filling up steadily for St. Louis, and will depart next week.

Capt. Shuman, of the Lorena, reports that the storm which overtook him at Guyandotte, on his recent up trip, was the most violent he ever experienced. So violent were the swells that the boat was tossed on the shore, and it took very hard sparring to release her from her perilous position. Both of her smoke stacks were blown down, and she was otherwise injured, and it will take some time to place her in repair.

The Wauanita, from New Orleans, is among the first boats due.

The R. C. Gray, Capt. Isaac Whittaker, will possitively leave for Cincinnati, and Louisville this afternoon. Shippers will find Mr. Ezra Young, in the office.

—The little Salado, built at Wheeling, is running in Bœuf River.

—The New York and Champion were advertised to leave Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Thursday.

—Captain T. C. Sweeney, of Wheeling, is enroute to New Orleans, to look after his steamer, the St. Mary, now in the Ouachita trade.

—W. J. Ashford, on Friday, purchased the steamer Argosy, and will put her in the White river trade as a regular Thursday packet, leaving on her first trip on February 4.

—There is a large colony of beavers on the Appomattox river, Virginia, just above Rattersea Dam. They have cut down great quantities of shrubbery and young trees, and eaten off the skin and tender branches.

—A St. Louis dispatch says that Captain Lee received a telegram from San Francisco, announcing the arrival there of Thomas King, former freight clerk of the steamer Bismarck, who absconded with $2,000 of the boat's money about two months ago.

—The Louisville *Courier* says: Arrangements were completed yesterday to ship a large quantity of freight from Cincinnati to New Orleans, on the boats of the Louisville and New Orleans Packet Company, at remunerative rates. The freight is to be delivered on board the boats at the Portland wharf.

—The Armenia enroute from New Orleans, has the following Pittsburgh freight: J. S. Dilworth & Co., 465 bbs molasses; Arbuckles & Co., 120 bbls molasses, 17 bbls rice; Hayworth & Dewhurst, 21 hhds sugar; W. M. Gormly, 10 hhds sugar; Watt, Lang & Co., 123 bbls molasses; W. Haslage & Co., 2 hhds sugar, 55 bbls molasses.

—The Atlantic and Mississippi Steamship Company, will run the following steamers in the New Orleans trade the present season, and may purchase or build others: Ruth, Lady Gay, Pauline Carroll, Olive Branch, W. R. Arthur and Continental. The Lizzie Gill, Bismark and Commonwealth run under the auspices of this Company.

—The Cincinnati *Gazette* of yesterday says: Yesterday morning the Tempest was "crossed off" by the Underwriters' Inspector here. Captain Shields went around the insurance offices to prevail upon them to let her depart with her cargo, but they were unwilling to go back of the action of the Inspector. He therefore secured a No. 1 barge, which would carry about 400 tuns, on board of which he put the freight engaged for the Tempest, and used the boat to two the barge to Portland.

—A St. Louis telegram says: The following boats are named for the Fort Benton trade, and will load as soon as possible after navigation opens: Cora, Nile, Antelope, St. Luke, Mountaineer, Octavia, Viola Belle, Girard B. Allen, H. M. Shreve, Carrie V. Kountz, Mollie Ebert, Silver Bow, and LaBarge. The four latter are new boats building or just completed. Sternwheelers—Deer Lodge, Tacony, Only Chance, Henry Adkins, Huntsville, Peninah, Columbia, Benton, Silver Lake, Ida, Tom Stevens, Stockdale, St. John and Peter Balen.

—A correspondent of the Evansville *Journal* says: "The fare has been reduced—by an advertisement—from Nashville to Cairo. The old fare was $10, meals and staterooms included; now it is $6, meals extra. These boats make a trip each, making the fare, up and down, $12: to this add seven days' board ($14), and we have $26, total. The old amount was $20, making a reduction of $6—over the left. An opposition boat is about entering the trade, furnishing both rooms and meals. This craft will have at all hours hot meals—crackers and pepper sauce."

River and Weather.

LOUISVILLE, February 4.—Weather clear and cold. River rising steadily with seven feet eight inches of water in the canal.

WASTE OF HYDRANT WATER.

The undersigned deems it his duty to inform consumers of Hydrant Water in the city of Pittsburgh that extensive and highly important changes in the machinery at the Lower Water Works will require, for the present, careful use and strict prevention of the waste of water.

Railroad companies and other large consumers must use strict economy in use of water for all purposes, and the use of all street washers and fire plugs, except in case of fire, must be suspended until further notice.

JOSEPH FRENCH,

fe3 Superintendent Water Works.

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Tuesday, February 9th,

AT 2½ O'CLOCK P. M.

On the premises, will be sold to the highest bidder, that desirable residence, No. 141 North avenue, corner of Monterey street. The mansion is a double two story brick, containing 13 spacious rooms, with every modern convenience. Lot fronts 48 feet on North avenue, and extends along Monterey street 170 feet to a 20 foot alley. This property cannot be excelled for location, and should specially command the attention of those desiring first class property.

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ELEGANT NEW MANSION—NO. 27 CLIFF STREET. Tuesday evening, February 9th, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold on second floor of Commercial Sales Rooms, 100 Smithfield street, the elegant TWO STORY BRICK MANSION, No 27 Cliff street, third door above Gum street, entirely new and finished in finest manner; high ceilings, marble mantles wood work grained and varnished throughout, and inside shutters front. Double parlors, dining room, kitchen, wash house on first floor; with very wide hall; four rooms and bath room on second floor; large finished attic; and cellar under whole house. The whole interior arrangement is very convenient, with modern improvements; wardrobes, pantries, and closets built in rooms and halls; gas throughout; Graff, Hugus & Co.'s range, with hot and cold water in kitchen, wash house and bath room; and underground drain for all waste water. Slate roof, press brick front and portico.

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WILL BE SOLD, without reserve, on the premises, on TUESDAY, February 9th, at 10 o'clock, the business property on the southwest corner of Federal street and the Allegheny Diamond. The corner store has been occupied as a clothing house, and the Diamond store as a Grocery for many years. The location is first class, being on two main thoroughfares and adjacent to the Market House. Such an opportunity to secure a number one business stand should command the especial attention of business men.

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For further particulars inquire of

ROBERT CRAIGHEAD, Executor, Elizabeth.

Or JOHN P. PENNEY, Attorney, Pttisburgh. ja19:d28

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, SS.

At Pittsburgh, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1869. To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of GEORGE S. HAYS, of Upper St. Clair township, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district.

JOHN G. MACCONNELL, Assignee, Attorney-at-law, No. 90 Diamond street.

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Lessee.....WM. HENDERSON.
Manager.....M. W. CANNING.

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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second page: Religious Intelligence and Miscellaneous News, Third page: Pittsburgh Metal Market, Financial Matters in New York, Markets by Telegraph, Imports by Railroad, River News, Amusement Directory. Sixth pages: Finance and Trade, Petroleum and Produce Markets. Seventh page: Annual Report of the City Controller.*

U. S. BONDS at Frankfort, 80⅛.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 58¾f.

GOLD closed yesterday in New York at 135⅛.

THE copper-tariff bill from the Senate is on the Speaker's table in the House. If brought to a direct vote, it is expected to pass.

AND NOW the Senate declines even to consider the new dodge of the lobby, for getting the interest upon their railway bonds guaranteed at the Treasury.

CONTRACTS providing for specific payments in coin are quite certain to be legalized at the present session. Let the XLth Congress be credited for at least so much in the way of financial reform!

MR. GALUSHA A. GROW was severely burned yesterday on the Lackawanna and Bloomsburg Railroad, by a train running off the track. He was returning home from the meeting of the Republican State Committee.

BEFORE MR. JOHNSON retires from office, he will probably extend his Executive pardon to MUDD and the other prisoners now under sentence at the Tortugas for complicity in the assassination conspiracy which made him President.

TWO MOVEMENTS have been projected in New York which we like. One relates to an establishment for instructing females in type-setting, the other, to a free school of telegraphy for women. Both of these employments are well suited to women; and it is well that experiments to enlarge the sphere of female activity should run in these directions.

AN OHIO JOURNAL, which is somewhat worried by the recent Act of our Legislature to amend the Act reorganizing the Fort Wayne Railway Company; remarks that "perhaps a Legislature is omnipotent." Well, it is pretty much so, in Pennsylvania. Our people do think that there are no restrictions upon their right to protect themselves in their own way.

IT WAS CHARGED, some time since, that the Alaska appropriation was carried through Congress by corrupt means. A careful investigation proves that no such means were used, but that certain disreputable correspondents of the press offered themselves and their "influence" for sale to the Russian counsel, to promote the appropriation, and that the rejection of the proposal made them hostile to the measure. As the clamor about corruption has since all come from those men, the investigation results in the engineers being hoisted by their own petard.

AN ENVOY from the President of San Domingo arrived at Washington about two weeks since. His credentials from his government charge him with full powers to treat for the annexation of that Republic to this. The only condition proposed is, that we shall assume several millions of indebtedness of that government. The resolutions of Gen. BANKS and Mr. ORTH were accordingly offered, as feelers of public sentiment. The project has the hearty support of the State Department and the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, and gains strength rapidly among the members. If it succeeds, the debt will not be assumed, the territory and future State being left to carry its own obligations. And to that, the Dominicans with themselves ultimately agree.

GENERAL GRANT'S SILENCE.

Not a few members of Congress are said to complain that General GRANT does not consult them or any of their class upon the important matter of selecting Heads of the Departments. If complaints are really made on this score they evidently proceed from a fancied analogy between the government of the United States and that of Great Britain. In the latter country, when it becomes necessary to organize a new Cabinet, the task is committed to the leaders of the dominant party in Parliament. That is because the monarch is not elective, but remains permanently in power. In the United States the President, as well as the members of the two Houses of Congress, is elected for a term of years. It is exclusively his prerogative to nominate to the Senate such men for Cabinet places as suit his taste and judgment. He is under no more obligation, and there is no more propriety in his advising with members of Congress as to what he shall do in this regard, than there is for members of the House to consult with him as to the selection of a Speaker of that body, or for the Speaker to take his advice in designating the Chairmen of the Standing Committees. General GRANT evidently feels competent to perform the duties assigned to him by the people; and means to do so in his own way. Keeping strictly within the proper limits assigned to him by the Constitution in executing his functions, he thereby suggests to persons officially connected with other departments of the government, the propriety of imitating his example.

General GRANT owes his election to the Presidency to his personal qualities and public services. He is stronger with the people than the best score of Congressmen that can be named. If he shall nominate—as it is fair to presume he will—men for Cabinet positions, whom the people will approve, grumbling in Congressional circles will do him no harm.

PETROLEUM PRODUCTION.

We have before us the monthly report of the petroleum business of the Pennsylvania oil regions, arranged and compiled for that valuable authority on such matters, the Titusville *Herald*. From it we learn that the average daily yield from the wells in January was ten thousand one hundred and ninety-two barrels, an increase of four hundred and fifty barrels per diem, over December.

Near the confluence of Lower Cherry Run with Oil Creek, on Charley Run, near Oil City, on Bull Run and in the Pleasantville district, eight wells were struck, the yields of which ranged from fifty to one hundred and twenty-five barrels per day. Other wells, with less important producing capacities, were found in different parts of the region. From the last named districts the shipments to Titusville, Pithole and Miller by two pipe transportation lines, and to Titusville by teams during the month, reached an aggregate of seventy-six thousand barrels, but as the stock at the wells was reduced nine thousand barrels, the total product for the month was sixty-seven thousand barrels—an average for thirty-one days of two thousand one hundred and sixty-one barrels. The production of Church Run and the wells in the immediate vicinity by the receipts by pipe line and teams at Titusville, and the difference in stocks, reached an average of five hundred barrels per day for the month.

The total number of wells completed during the month was about fifty-three, of which thirty-five were located in the Pleasantville district, one at Tidioute, and of the remaining seventeen, most were located along Oil Creek, at Shamburg and near Oil City—only three having been completed along the river south of Reno. Of the fifty-three wells completed, fully forty-two, and possibly more, from all appearances, proved peculiarly successful.

The most important feature connected with the development, is the large decrease in the number of wells being drilled. The total number on February 1st, was three hundred and forty-one, against three hundred and seventy-three on the 1st of the previous month—a decrease of thirty-two. This decrease was caused principally by a large number of wells being completed, as twenty-one new wells were commenced during the month.

The stock of petroleum on hand in barrels and tanks, on the 1st inst., was two hundred and seventy-four thousand and one hundred and sixty-seven barrels. During January two hundred and ninety-two thousand nine hundred and sixty-five barrels were shipped, being an increase of fourteen thousand barrels over December.

SUBSIDIES TO CORPORATIONS.

Early last summer, in advance of all other journals, we called earnest attention to the necessity that existed for the refusal by Congress of fresh subsidies to railway and other improvement companies. Since then, on various occasions, we have felt constrained to reiterate our views in that regard.

Not that we were, or are, under the impression that the works to which government aid had been extended, or for which it is solicited, are without merits. Very far from it. Most, if not all, of those enterprises, have intrinsic value, and will sooner or later be carried into effect, greatly to the public advantage, as well as to individual profit. But several reasons conspire to demand that the government should withhold further appropriations or liabilities in that direction.

1. The government is not in a condition to assume responsibilities of this sort, either absolutely or contingently—if such a distinction is permissible under circumstances which compel the conclusion that whatever liability the government incurs it will have to meet in full. The nation is heavily in debt. Tax-payers grumble at the burdens they have to carry, and grumble with cause. The Treasury does not work any too easily, and if commercial disaster should befall the country might be sorely pinched. The first thing for Congress to do is to take care of the national credit, and relieve the burdens of the people to as large a degree as is consistent with that duty.

2. Many of the subsidies heretofore granted, and to meritorious objects, have been out of all proportion to the end to be gained. Many individuals have made immense fortunes, with no cost or risk to themselves. This is what has stimulated the present rush of applications more than anything else. Government has acted unwisely, and cannot stop one moment too soon.

3. All needed public improvements will come, in due season, without the interposition of national help. The whole continent will be checkered with railroads, and at no distant period, whether government aid is given or withheld. At all events, we are fully in the faith that if a railway will not pay, on the basis of legitimate business, it had better go unbuilt.

4. This granting of subsidies is corrupting Congress so that the people are rapidly losing confidence in it. A suspicion, if nothing stronger, widely prevails that Senators and Representatives do not, in the present condition of the national finances, vote untold millions out of the Treasury, and into the coffers and corporations, without taking care to salve their wounded consciences with pecuniary gratifications. In this, injustice may be done to the members; but we do not see that they have any remedy but in taking the hint as to popular opinion, and in conforming their official action to the public demand.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

The Erie clique, beaten at Columbus and Harrisburg, and driven back upon the Lake Shore, find everything lovely at Cleveland and "BARKIS 's willin'." The *Herald* of yesterday says:

The difference between the rival parties in the management of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad have been amicably adjusted. A controlling interest in the Board of Directors will remain with the Erie party. The injunction granted by the court will remain in force, so far as the more objectionable features of the late action of the new board is concerned. The change in the board will be made by holding a new election or in such other way as may be deemed advisable.

The question of laying additional rails and sending the Erie cars into the Union Depot formed no part of the basis of agreement, as that question was covered by the arrangement in regard to Directors. The new board will, as a matter of course, lay the broad gauge rails from Newburg to the Union Depot, provided arrangements are made for entering the latter.

We understand that Mr. Jay Gould, on behalf of the Erie Company, has offered to pay a fair and equitable compensation for the privilege, and the lines now occupying the depot are willing to admit the Erie Company on the payment of proper compensation. This is fair to all parties.

The same journal adds that "it is not yet an assured fact that the present Directors of the Fort Wayne Company are unwilling to make terms with the Erie and allow the trains of the latter to run from Mansfield to Chicago over the Fort Wayne line."

MEETING OF THE UNION REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

In pursuance of the call of the Chairman, the Union Republican State Central Committee assembled at the Lochiel Hotel, Harrisburg, on Thursday, the 4th day of February, 1869, there being a very large attendance of its members. After a full interchange of opinions, the following resolutions were adopted, viz:

Resolved, That the next Union Republican State Convention shall be held in the city of Philadelphia on *Wednesday, the 23d day of June next*, at ten o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor and Judge of the Supreme Court.

Resolved, That this Committee earnestly recommend the adoption of a proper metropolitan police bill, and request the Republican members of the Legislature to give the measure an earnest and vigorous support.

On motion of Mr. Miller, of Crawford, and Mr. Billingfelt, of Lancaster, the following preamble and resolution were also adopted, viz:

WHEREAS, Vigorous economy has been made a cardinal principle of the Republican party, therefore

Resolved, That we do sincerely desire that all persons occupying an official position shall have a due respect for the same in all their actions, believing that the future success of our party depends largely upon the strict observance of that rule. G. A. GROW, Chairman.

G. W. HAMERSLY, Secretary.

Classification of Railway Directors.

A supplement to an act entitled an act to provide for the reorganization of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad Company, approved March 31, A. D. 1860, and to provide for a classification of the board of directors.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That it shall be lawful for the board of directors of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago railway company, by lot or otherwise, to so classify the members thereof that one-fourth (as near as may be) shall terminate their official terms as directors at the first next annual election, and after being thus classified the stock and bondholders shall elect only the number of the board of directors necessary to fill the vacancies created by the expiration of the period of services fixed as aforesaid.

Washington Items.

The Alabama treaty may be reported on at this session, but it is not probable that any action will be taken.

The Senate will amend the House Constitutional Amendment Bill, but it is thought that the changes will not be of a character likely to imperil the measure or throw it over to a new Congress.

The public debt statement for January shows an increase of eleven millions, caused by the payment of upwards of thirty-two millions for interest. During the month the receipts were unusually large, but they were all swallowed up by this interest, subsidies, and the current expenses of the Government.

—The lower branch of the Maine Legislature yesterday, by a majority of four, refused to pass an act allowing parties to fix a rate of interest they might agree upon as a legal one.

Consolidation of Army Bureaus.

Secretary Schofield, before the House Military Committee, was decidedly in favor of making one bureau of the Quartermaster's, Commissary and Pay Departments, another of Ordnance and Artillery, and a third of Engineering and Surveying. He said the necessary work of the Department could be much more expeditiously and efficiently done with a few heads of bureaus than when it was obliged to pass under several. He argued at some length in favor of a consolidation of the War and Navy Departments, placing both under one Secretary, and providing that the Admiral should command the navy, and the General the army. He supported his views in a manner to call out very warm commendations from the Committee. He was also asked for his views about the proposed transfer of the Indian Bureau to the War Department. He was strongly in favor of the change, and said he felt certain that more than any one else officers and soldiers who fought the Indians were in favor of always maintaining peace with them when it was possible. There was no honor to be gained, and the hardships were very great. He said the War Department had paid out more in the past year for fighting Indians than it would cost to feed them for five years, and thought the way to prevent a war next summer was to feed the Indians this winter. The Secretary was also in favor of abolishing brevets, and the Committee will probably recommend that this be done.

The Death Penalty at Cleveland.

Davis, the murderer of Skinner, was hung at noon of the 4th. He came upon the scaffold without emotion, neatly dressed. The sheriff asked if he had anything to say. He replied no; and he said not another word. Episcopal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Washburne, of Grace Church. He was firm and possessed throughout. He died in eleven minutes, after a few struggles. His neck was broken by the fall. About one hundred people witnessed the execution. There is a general acquiescence in the justice of the punishment, and there is much speculation as to the fate of the three accomplices now awaiting trial.

—In the New York Assembly, yesterday, a bill was introduced for the appointment of Commissioners to have charge of the proposed change of the eastern boundary of New York City above Fortieth street, by cutting a new river from that new point through Long Island to the Sound. No action was taken.

THE COURTS.

United States District Court—Judge McCandless.

FRIDAY, February 5.—The case of N. Holmes & Sons vs. James Robb, an issue in involuntary bankruptcy, which has been on trial for some days, was concluded. The jury found for defendant as follows: "We find that the facts set forth in creditors' petition are *not* true."

The case of the United States vs. Orlando Reed, Lewis Meyer, Fred Weiss and Patrick Newell, impleaded with James Mack, was next taken up. This was a civil action to recover the penalty on an oil distiller's bond.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

FRIDAY, February 5.—The case of Tayler vs. Patterson and White, reported on trial yesterday, was resumed and submitted to the jury at one o'clock, when the remaining jurors were discharged and the Court adjourned, there being no other cases ready for trial.

Common Pleas—Judge Stowe.

FRIDAY, February 5.—In the case of Thomas McLane vs. John B. Hill, action to recover for services rendered, the jury found for plaintiff in the sum of $346,25. Defendant's counsel moved for a new trial.

Commonwealth, for use of Mary Ann Watson, intermarried with W. C. Crooks, deceased, et al. vs. Guardians of Elizabeth Watson, et al. The jury found for the plaintiffs in the sum of $2,200, to be released upon the payment to Mary Ann Crooks of $246,40, to Margaret N. Ford, $246,40 and to Amanda Freshwater $246,40.

G. W. Park and Gabriel Fry vs. August Bealerfeldt. Action on a mechanic's lien. On trial.

Quarter Sessions—Judge Mellon.

FRIDAY, February 5.—In the case of the Commonwealth vs. William Arnold, *alias* "Snibbs" Arnold, indicted for felonious assault and battery, the defendant was found not guilty of the felony, but guilty of assault and battery. The Court sentenced Arnold to pay a fine of one dollar to the Commonwealth and the costs of prosecution.

Commonwealth vs. Anthony Jacquay, Joseph Allison, William Reater, William Reaterns, Chas. Taylor, R. S. Hemiup, Burgess and Councilmen of West Pittsburgh, indicted for maintaining a nuisance, were next placed on trial. The Commonwealth held that the defendants being bound to keep the roads in repair were indicted for maintaining a nuisance in not doing so. It appears that the great majority of the property is held by a few men. By consent of Mr. Marshall, counsel for the defendants, the Court instructed the jury to find a verdict of guilty, reserving the points of law in the case as submitted by defendant's counsel for further consideration.

Jacob Bear, indicted for malicious mischief, Jacob Bron prosecutor, was placed on trial. It was alleged by the prosecutor that while coming into the city on Penn street in a buck wagon, the defendant, who was driving a two horse wagon, run into him and broke his buck wagon. The case was on trial when Court adjourned.

Second U. P. Church Festival.

The Trustees of the Second U. P. Church, corner of Stockton avenue and Sandusky street, Allegheny, under the pastoral charge of Rev. J. B. Clark, D. D., are about completing extensive repairs by which the interior and exterior of their church edifice will be greatly improved, the auditorium and schoolrooms much enlarged, and the ingress and egress made easy. For these repairs, ample provision has been made. The ladies of the congregation, desirous of doing their part of the good work, determined by their joint efforts to provide for the cost of carpeting, upholstery and pulpit furniture, and for this purpose a committee, consisting of two ladies from each of the four old wards of Allegheny, undertook to get up and supervise a two-day festival in the schoolroom of the church. The following ladies compose the Committees:

1st Ward—Mrs. Jno. Frazier and Mrs. Geo. Lewis.

2d Ward—Mrs. S. B. M'Gill and Miss Mary Patterson.

3d Ward—Miss Mary W. Lockhart and Mrs. Wm. Parker.

4th Ward—Mrs. David Gilmore and Mrs. J. K. Caldwell.

These ladies were aided by many volunteers, among whom the Misses McCormick, the Misses McWhinney, Miss Johnson, Miss Lindsay, Mrs. Williams and others were conspicuous. Under such auspices the enterprise could not fail of success. We were not present on Thursday evening, but learn that the attendance was very large and the entertainment faultless in all its appointments. Last evening we were among the grateful host of visitors. Four tables arranged across the spacious room, covered with snow-white linen and groaning under their loads of various luxuries, regaled the eye and tempted the appetite. Three of these tables were each decorated by a candy pyramid, besides several gigantic and highly ornate fruit and jelly cakes from the shop of Selmon, the well known baker and confectioner. The fourth table, however, seemed to be the pride of the set. Among the adornments of this table a large cake, beautifully frosted, with the letters "S. U. P. Ch." and another inscribed "Rev. J. B. Clark, D. D.," with frosted wreath of vine and clusters of grapes, attracted much attention, but the chief feature was a gorgeous pyramid consisting of macaroni center, illuminated candy surroundings in delicate tracery, and artistically draped with frosted sugar, representing a cascade of crystal waters. These were the handiwork of Richter, the popular confectioner in the Diamond. We suppose Mrs. Parker and Miss Lockhart, who have charge of this table, will be allowed the palm of superiority in the friendly rivalry between the committees. But only in profusion and elegance of ornamentation, as in all things else, the tables were equally creditable.

On Friday evening, as on Thursday, the number who joined in the festivities was about four hundred. It was a beautiful sight to behold so many of the most respectable citizens, men, women and children, all in holiday dress, all with pleased countenances, happy in the hour of delightful re-union, happy in the ample and varied repast, happy in promoting the laudable object in hand, and especially happy in the success achieved by the ladies in gathering the means to accomplish that object.

The entertainment was closed by the sale at auction of the pyramids and cakes that remained after the feast. Mr. Leggate conducted the sale with more than his usual ingenuity and tact, causing an episode of real jolly fun, by first selling to some bidder for a dollar or two a basket of oranges or slices of jelly cake, and then throwing them to the crowd, thus engaging the juveniles in a laughable scramble for the golden fruit or toothsome cakes. The struggle and strife were only amusing, not rough or violent.

Altogether the festival was very enjoyable, and we trust the proceeds realized for its laudable object may bear full proportion to the pleasure afforded those who attended.

City Mortality.

Dr. A. G. McCandless, Physician of the Board of Health, reports the following interments in the city of Pittsburgh, from January 24 to January 31, 1869:

Diseases—Unknown, 3; Apoplexy, 1; Hydrothorax, 1; Old Age, 1; Consumption, 4; Spotted Fever, 1; Erysipelas, 1; Disease of Heart, 2; Debility, 3; Pneumonia, 3; Hydrocephalus, 1; Croup, 2.

Of the above there were under one year 8, from one to two, 3; from two to five, 1; from five to ten, 1; from twenty to thirty, 3; from thirty to forty, 1; from forty to fifty, 1; from fifty to sixty, 1; from sixty to seventy, 2; from seventy to eighty, 1; from eighty to ninety, 1.

Males.....7 { White.....22 } Total....23
Females.....16 { Colored.....1 }

Disorderly Passengers.

Conductor McCloy, of car No. 44 Troy Hill branch Manchester Passenger Railway, made information before Mayor Drum yesterday morning against Wilson Watter and John Glass for disorderly conduct. It was alleged that the accused got on the car the evening previous and acted in such a disorderly manner as to compel the conductor to eject them from the car and secure their arrest. After a night spent in the tombs they were brought before the Mayor, as stated, and each fined ten dollars and costs, which they paid to secure a discharge from custody. Subsequently they made information before Alderman Mullen against McCloy for assault and battery, upon which a warrant was issued.

THE INCLEMENT SEASON.

AND ITS EFFECTS ON THE WEAK AND FEEBLE.

The drafts which searching cold makes upon the vital powers of the debilitated and delicate are not less severe than the drain upon their strength caused by excessive heat. The vast disparity between the temperature of over-heated rooms and offices, at this season, and the frigidity of the outer air, is a fruitful source of sickness. To fortify the body against the evil consequences of the sudden alternations of heat and cold referred to, the vital organization should be strengthened and endowed with extra resistant power by the use of a wholesome invigorant; and, of all preparations for this purpose, (whether embraced in the regular pharmacopoeia or advertised in the public journals,) there is none that will compare in purity and excellence with HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Acting directly upon the organ which converts the food into the fuel of life, the preparation imparts to it a tone and vigor which is communicated to every fibre of the frame. The digestive function being accelerated by its tonic operation, the liver regulated by its anti-bilious properties, and the waste matter of the system carried off punctually by its mild aperient action the whole organization will necessarily be in the best possible condition to meet the shocks of winter and the sudden changes of temperature. The weak and sensitive, especially, cannot encounter these vicissitudes with safety, unless their tender systems are braced and strengthened by artificial means. Every liquor sold as a staple of trade is adulterated, and we eit otherwise, mere alcohol is simply a temporary excitant, which, when its first effects have subsided, leaves the physical powers (and the mind as well,) in a worse condition than before HOSTETTER'S BITTERS, on the other hand, contain the essential properties of the most valuable tonic and alterative roots, barks and herbs, and their active principal is the mellowest, least exciting and most innocuous of all diffusive stimulants.

THE SOUND OF THE LUNGS.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC LECTURE at the NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH, corner of Wood and Sixth streets, on SUNDAY EVENING, February 6th. Subject—The Origin of Evil and the Fall of Man.

FIRST ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Seventh street—Rev. SAMUEL LAIRD, Pastor. Services TO-MORROW (Sunday,) and regularly hereafter, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, (Railroad street, near Depot,) NEW BRIGHTON, Pa. S. F. CROWTHER, Pastor. Preaching EVERY SABBATH, at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Public cordially invited.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF PITTSBURGH, W. S. Gray, Pastor, meets statedly in NEVILLE HALL, corner of Liberty and Fourth streets. Services every Lord's Day at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. The public are cordially invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, CORNER OF GRANT ST. AND THIRD AVENUE. Rev. J. A. PERINE will preach TO-MORROW; in the morning at 10½ o'clock, and in the evening at 7½ o'clock. Seats free and welcome to all.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, ALLEGHENY.—The Pastorate of this Church is now filled by the appointment of H. B. KNIGHT, formerly of Cleveland, Ohio. Preaching EVERY SABBATH, at 10½ A. M and 7½ P. M. Lecture on Wednesday Evening, and General Prayer Meeting on Friday Evening.

MESSIAH ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, (General Synod,) Hand Street, below Penn. Rev. J. H. W. STUCKENBERG, Pastor. Religious services regularly on SABBATH hereafter. Sunday School 9 A. M. Preaching at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Prayer Meeting and Lecture Wednesday evenings. Friends of the congregation and public are cordially invited.

RELIGIOUS.—BAPTISM.— "Pouring and Sprinkling as Baptism—Their Origin and History." The above will be the subject of a sermon to be preached in the FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Beaver street and Montgomery avenue, Allegheny City, TO-MORROW (Lord's Day) EVENING, by JOSEPH KING, Pastor of the Church. Services begin at 7 o'clock. Seats FREE, and a cordial invitation to all.

THE LORD WILLING, ELDER J. WENDELL will preach in Lafayette Hall, Wood street, TO-MORROW at 10:30 A. M. and at 3 and 7:30 P. M.
SUBJECTS:
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2d. Rich Man and Lazarus
3d. Prophecy.
An opportunity for asking questions on the subjects will be allowed.

GOOD HOUSE AND LOT IN ALLEGHENY AT AUCTION.—The property 31 Webster street, Allegheny, will be sold on the premises on THURSDAY, February 11, at 2 o'clock. The lot is 22 feet front. The house contains parlor, dining room, kitchen, five bed-rooms, bath-room, hall, range, closets, hot and cold water, and gas. The location is pleasant, facing on the Commons, and on completion of the Park improvement, will be very much increased. This is a really good opportunity to buy finely located property at a reasonable price. For terms, particulars, and key to inspect the premises, apply to A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer. fe6

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NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the City of Allegheny for GRADING AND PAVING, are hereby notified to call and pay their assessments to the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of February. After the above date all claims remaining unpaid will be placed in the hands of the City Solicitor for collection, with costs added.

Office in the second story of City Hall. Hours for business from 8 to 9 A. M. and 1 to 3 P. M.

THOMAS MEGRAW,
Street Commissioner.

ALLEGHENY, Feb. 3, 1869. fe3:b94

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, February 4th, 1869.

NOTICE OF

SEWER BUILDERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS for the construction of a public sewer on Fifth or Pennsylvania avenue, from Washington street to Pinwiddie street, about twenty seven hundred feet (2700,) and also for a public sewer on Diamond alley, from the Wood street sewer to Smithfield street, will be received at this office until SATURDAY, February 20, 1869. Specifications and blanks for bidding can be had by calling at this office. No bids will be received by the Committee unless made out on the regular blanks

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

fe4:e5 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

THE KNAP FORT PITT FOUNDRY CO., OF PITTSBURGH, Pittsburgh, January 30th, 1869.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the STOCKHOLDERS of the

KNAP FORT PITT FOUNDRY COMPANY,

To meet at its Office on Twelfth street, on TUESDAY February 9th, 1869, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M., for the purpose of electing seven (7) Directors and Secretary and Treasurer, to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them.

Transfer books are closed until after February 10th, 1869.

O. METCALF, Sec'y.

OFFICE ALLEGHENY BRIDGE COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, February 1st, 1869.

AN ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT, MANAGERS and OFFICERS of the "Company for erecting a bridge over the Allegheny River, opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny," will be held at the TOLL HOUSE, at the south end of the Bridge, on MONDAY, the 1st day of March, at 2 o'clock P. M.

WM. ROSEBUG,
fe4:e9-TH Treasurer.

PERRY STREET.—The undersigned, appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits for OPENING PERRY STREET, from its eastern terminus to meet the Troy Hill Road, will meet on the premises on MONDAY, 15th day of February, at 4½ o'clock P. M., to attend to the duties of their appointment.

J. J. HERMAN,
THOMAS SMITH, } Viewers.
L. WALTER,

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OFFICE MONONGAHELA BRIDGE COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, January 30, 1869.

AN ELECTION FOR THIRTEEN MANAGERS of the Company for erecting a bridge over the Monongahela river, opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, will be held at the Toll House, on MONDAY, the 1st day of March next, at 2 o'clock P. M.

fe2:d85-MF JAS. H. WRIGHT, Treasurer.

OFFICE PACIFIC & ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH CO. OF THE UNITED STATES. PITTSBURGH, January 25, 1868.

FIFTEENTH DIVIDEND.— The Directors of the Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company of the United States having this day declared the regular quarterly dividend at the rate of TEN PER CENT. per annum for the quarter ending December 31, 1868, I will pay the same at the office of the Treasurer on call.

ja27:d64 ED. JAY ALLEN, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND.

OFFICE OF THE UNION REFINING AND STORING COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, February 1, 1869.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of 25 PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable forthwith at their office, corner of Sixth avenue and Wood st eet.

JAS. KIRKPATRICK, President.
WM. F. LANG, Secretary. fe2:d90

WEBSTER STREET.—We, the undersigned, appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of widening WEBSTER STREET, Second ward, Allegheny, from Benton alley to North Common, will meet on the premises on MONDAY, the 15th day of February, at 3 o'clock P. M., to attend to the duties of our appointment.

S. BULFORD,
J. J. HERMAN,
ja27:d63 LEONARD WALTER.

EWALT STREET BRIDGE COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given to the subscribers for the stock of the "Ewalt Street Bridge," that in compliance with an Act of Assembly incorporating said Company, an instalment of FIVE DOLLARS on each share of stock is required to be paid immediately to the Treasurer, C. Siebert, at his office, No. 406 PENN STREET. By order of the Committee.

ja23:d65 C. SIEBERT.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE R. CO, Pittsburgh, January 14, 186 .

NOTICE TO Bondholders.— Notice is hereby given that COUPON No. 19 TURTLE CREEK DIVISION CONSTRUCTION BONDS, due on the first day of February next, will be paid on and after that date upon presentation and delivery at the First National Bank of Pittsburgh.

JOHN H. PAGE, JR.,
jal5:d20 Treasurer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, January 25th, 1869.

NOTICE.—The assessment for Grading and Paving SPRING ALLEY from Twenty eighth to Twenty-ninth street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until THURSDAY, February 4th, 1869, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

ja25:d54 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY VALLEY R.R. Pittsburgh, January 25, 1869.

STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING. The regular annual meeting of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 26 Pike street, on TUESDAY, 23d day of February, 1869 for the purpose of electing a Board of Managers for the coming year and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

ja27:d69 JOHN BALLANTINE, Secretary.

NOTICES.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.

A Mass Meeting of the Republicans of the

SIXTEENTH WARD

Will be held at FRAUNHOLZ'S HALL, on the Greensburg Pike, on

SATURDAY EVENING NEXT,

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fe5:e8 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

OFFICE OF PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

PHILADELPHIA, January 27, 1869.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held on TUESDAY, the 16th day of February, 1869, at 10 o'clock A.M., at CONCERT HALL, No. 1,219 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

The Annual Election for Directors will be held on MONDAY, the 1st day of March, 1869, at the office of the Company, No. 238 South Third street.

fe2:d88 EDMUND SMITH, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, Feb. 6, 1869.

NOTICE.—The assessments for the partial Grading of

DINWIDDIE STREET,

from Pennsylvania avenue to Centre avenue is now ready for examination, and will remain in this office until TUESDAY, February 16, 1869, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

H. J. MOORE,
fe6:e17 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, February 4, 1869.

NOTICE TO FOUNDRYMEN.—Sealed Proposals for furnishing the City of Pittsburgh, with castings for the catchbasins required in the sewers now about being contracted for, will be received at this office until SATURDAY, Feb. 20, 1869

Specifications can be seen at this office. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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The Pittsburgh Gazette.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, February 5, 1868.

The tendency for gold appeared to be still downward, although the general firm tone of the bond and stock market led to the belief that the lowest point had been reached, and considerable and heavy purchases were made. The market rallied from 135 to 135⅛, with a strong tone; nevertheless, there exists a disposition to await further developments from Europe before any large purchases will be made for a rise.

The Government bond market, contrary to all expectations, did not show much strength at the early boards, but towards the close prices improved about ¼ per cent. The market is only firm without any material advance, since the stock market is in a very precarious condition, and, although the strength of the bull party has lost but little, yet their prestige is gone. The whole bull movement was inaugurated by a single house with the support of the Erie clique, which latter have suffered severely by the decline in Erie since the last few days, and any further downward movement might make the stock fall flat and break the power of the clique, and the brokers firm in other stocks. The great support for the Railroad share market comes from European capitalists, and every dollar actually invested is magnified by interested parties here to keep the market up to ten times the amount.

Express shares were lower to-day, and suffered with the general decline.

Closing quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 135⅛; Eighty-one's, 112¾; Five Twenties, 1862, 113⅜; do, 1864, 109¾; do, 1865, 111; do, 1865, new, 108⅞; do, 1867, 109; do, 1868, 109½; Ten Forties, 108⅛; Railroads — Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 94; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 118¾; Chicago & Rock Island, 103¾; Chicago & North Western, 83⅞; do Preferred, 92½; Erie, ——; New York Central, 61¼; Michigan Southern, 93⅝; Reading, 95⅝; Ohio & Mississippi Certificates, 37⅛; Western Union Telegraph Company, 37¾; Merchants Union Express Company, 19; Pacific Mail, 16½; Adams, 49; Mining shares—Gregory, 2,65; Quartz Hill, 6¾; Smith & Parmele, 2,25; Corydon, 11.

—The amount of Flour and Grain in store in Chicago on the dates indicated, was as follows:

	Jan. 30, 1869.	Jan. 23, 1869.	Jan. 30, 1868.
Flour	125,930	.....	.....
Wheat.....	1,550,571	1,453,770	923,975
Corn.....	1,173,942	715,782	1,955,471
Oats	672,048	652,710	872,709
Rye	162,629	164,378	36,834
Barley	219,299	230,464	106,041

The above table shows a total amount of all kinds of grain in store at the commencement of business on Monday morning last of 3,778,489 bushels, against 3,217,104 bushels the corresponding day last week. The receipts have exceeded the shipments of wheat by 96,301 bushels; corn, 458,100 bushels; oats, 19,338 bushels, while the shipments have exceeded the receipts of rye by 1,749 bushels, and barley, 11,165 bushels. Total excess of receipts over shipments, 561,385 bushels. The amount of flour in store is 125,930 barrels, against 82,805 barrels one year ago.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co.: Gold, 135⅛; United States Sixes, 1881's, 112¾; 5-20's, 1862, 113⅜; 5-20's, 1864, 109¾; 5-20's, 1865, 111; 5-20's January and July, 1865, 108½, do. 1867, 108⅝; do. 1868, 109½; Seven Thirties, par less ¼; Due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central, 103; Cy. Pacifics, 101½.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, February 5, 1869.

The report of a new six hundred barrel oil well, noted in our last issue, has not been confirmed, and the rumor is supposed to have originated from a reported strike on the Pierson Farm, which was reported at three hundred barrels. The latter strike has not been confirmed either, so that it may be set down as a fact that there is but little, if any, foundation for either of these reports. We always make it a point to give these reports, as a matter of *news*, and not for the purpose of influencing the market; the report was not given as a fact, as will be seen by anyone who may take the trouble to look. We have reliable advices of a strike at Scrubgrass, which, on Thursday, was producing one hundred barrels per day, and we also reiterate what we stated yesterday, that the spirit of development is rapidly gaining in strength, and the number of new wells being put down is unusually large for the season.

CRUDE.

The Crude market is strong with some inquiry, and prices are firm and well sustained. We can report 1,000 bbls on spot at 18, and two lots, one of 2,500 and one other of 2,000, bbls, for next six months, sellers option, at 17½. Buyers option all year, offered at 20, and same delivery, seller's option, at 17. Reported sales at Oil City at $7,30, and it is said that some producers are actually holding their oil for *ten dollars*!

REFINED

The Refined market, was more active and considerably stronger to-day, and many deliveries, are higher. Sales 500 bbls spot at 36½; 1,000 at 36¾; 500 do at 36; 500 bbls first half this month at 37; 2,000 last half at same figure; 500 each April to June at 37; 1,000 each same months at 37; 1,000 each April and May at 37; 500 each March to June at 37, and the same figure was offered for February to June. Compared with yesterday, all deliveries within the next six months, are advanced half a cent.

LUBRICATING OILS.

Eclipse Winter Lubricating oil.....	40c
Eclipse Railroad Axle.....	35c
Eclipse Machinery.....	75c
Eclipse Spindle.....	80c
Eclipse Tanners' Stuffing.....	40c
Eclipse Tanners' Finishing oil.....	65c

RECEIPTS OF CRUDE OIL.

McKee, K. & Co.	480	D. Bly.....	200
H. Ihler & Co.	50	Eclipse Works..	640
J. Mnhall.....	400	S. B. Floyd.....	55
D. M Edgerton.	120		
G. S. Thomas....	520	Total	2465

(I SHIPPED EAST BY A. V. R. R.

J. Kirkpatrick & Co., 259 bbls refined to Waing, King & Co., Philadelphia.

Bran & Wagner, 50 do do to Waring, Ing & Co., Philadelphia.

McElvy Bros. & Co., 166 do to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Total hipments Refined..... 475

OIL SIPPED EAST FROM DUQUESNE DEPOT.

G. W Holdship & Co., 103 bbls refined td Wang, King & Co., Philadelphia.

H. W C. Tweddle, 40 do do to Secrust, Kehu Co., Boston.

Clark & Co., 2 do lubricating to G. D. Wethre, Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined..... 143

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, February 6, 1869.

Business generally is improving slowly, and a better feeling seems to prevail in commercial circles, though trade might be still better, and there be nothing to brag of. There is an improved demand for some articles, and that, too, at stiffening prices, while others are as dull as ever, and with a supply largely in excess of present wants, prices are weak and drooping. We still entertain hope, that there will be a good spring trade, particularly for Pittsburgh manufactures, and this will tend to improve other branches of business.

APPLE BUTTER—75 to 85 cents.

APPLES—In good supply and dull but unchanged sales at $3 to $5 per bbl, for common to choice.

BUTTER—Is dull under the influence of continued liberal arrivals, and a diminished demand, and prices are scarcely sustained; we continue to quote at 36 to 38 for prime, and 40 for choice.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Dull and lower, being quoted at 3¾ to 4c.

BEANS—Prime small White scarce, and in fair demand with sales at $3,50 to $3,75 per bushel.

CARBON OIL—Continues firm and advancing and we now quote in a jobbing way at 31½ to 32 for standard white.

CHEESE—Very firm and the market is almost bare, we now quote Western Reserve and Hamburg at 18 to 20c, and Goshen 22 to 23.

CRANBERRIES—Sales at $18 to $20.

CORNMEAL—$1 to $1,10 per bush.

DRIED FRUIT—Firm and inlimited supply; we continue to quote Peaches at 14 for quarers; 15 to 16 for mixed and 18 to 19 for halves. Apples firmer, and tending upward, 11 to 12.

DRESSED HOGS—13 to 14.

EGGS—Fesh packed 25c.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is firm but unchanged; sales of Shoulders at 15¼ to 15½c; Ribbed Sides, 17½c to 17¾c; Clear Sides, 18¼c, and Sugar Cured Hams, 19½c to 20c. Prime kettle rendered Lard, 21c, in tierces, and 22c to 22½c in kegs. Dried Beef 21½c. Mess Pork, $33,00 to $33,50.

POTATOES—Dull but unchanged; small sales in store at 80 to 85c.

PEANUTS—Sales 8½ to 9c per lb.

TALLOW—Rendered, 11¼ to 11¾c.

SEEDS—Sales of Cloverseed at $10,00, and Timothy at $3,50 to $3,75. Flaxseed—but little offering—quoted at $2,40.

SALT—Is quiet but steady, and is still quoted at $2 by the car load.

SORGHUM—60 to 65c.

LARD OIL—No. 1 is quoted at $1,75, and No. 2 at $1,45.

GRAIN—Wheat is dull and nominally unchanged. Oats quoted firm at 65 to 66c on track and in elevator, and 67 to 68c in store. Corn is dull and unchanged; mixed may be quoted at 75, and prime Yellow at 80c. Rye is quoted at $1,46 to $1,48. Barley, $2 to $2,10.

HOMINY—Sales at $6,25 to $6,50.

HEMP—Sales at $210 per ton.

HAY—Continues very dull, with a supply largely in excess of the demand; we continue to quote on wharf at $20 to $25, for common to strictly prime Timothy Hay.

FEATHERS — Live Geese Feathers quoted at 75 to 80 to the trade, and the usual advance in a retail way.

FLOUR—Is quiet and unchanged. We quote Spring Wheat, $7,00 to $8, and Winter Wheat, $8,50 to $9,25 per barrel. Rye Flour, $7,50 to $7,50. The Pearl Mill quote their best brands, made of the best Wheat, as follows: Extra Family Flour, in barrels, at $9,30, and, in sacks, $9,00 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, $10,00, and, in sacks, $9,70 per barrel; Spring Wheat Flour, in barrels, $7,80, and, in sacks, $7,50 per barrel. The City Mills quote prices as follows: Extra Family, (Winter) in barrels, $9,30, and, in sacks, $9,00 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, $9,80, and, in sacks, $9,50 per barrel, and Spring, $8,00, in barrels, and $7,70, in sacks, per barrel.

WHISKY—We can report sales of Highwines, in car loads, at 93½ to 94c, and in a jobbing way, at 96 to 97c.

ONIONS—$5 to $6 per bbl.

CHICAGO, February 4.—Hogs active and excited and prices are 10a15c higher; sales at $11a12,50 for light to good smooth. Beef Cattle are firmer and a shade more active; prices ranging from $4.62½a5,50 for fair to medium for butchers; $6a6,75 for light; $7,50a8,12½ for good to extra shipping steers.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY CONTROLLER.

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, Pittsburgh, Jan. 30, 1869.

To the Select and Common Councils, City of Pittsburgh.

GENTLEMEN: Herewith you will receive the Reports of the Revenue Collectors of the various Departments, showing the amount of revenue paid into the City Treasury; the Controller's Statement of the condition of the Appropriations; a statement of the Railroad Bonds compromised and exchanged, and the amount of Municipal Bonds paid and retired during the year, and the Treasurer's Report, showing the Receipts and Disbursements during the fiscal year ending January 31 1869, and the balance on hand.

TREASURY.

Amount in Treasury Feb. 1, 1868 $230,300 70. The whole amount of revenue by him received $669,601 61, and the total receipts $919,601 61, embracing the Water Extension Loan. The revenue exceeds the estimates by $41,311 61. The disbursements amount to $870,882 5, showing a balance of $279,020 31. The receipts will be light until the firstof June, and this large balance will be very materially reduced between this time and the first of April, so that in taking out the balance in Appropriation No. 1, $4,654 76, which cannot be diverted fromthe payment of interest and the compromising of the railroad bonds now outstanding, there will not be too much moneyon hand to work the city finances with ease and make her credit equal to any emergency.

DIAMOND MARKETS

Fall short of the estimate by $673 48.

MONONGAHELA WHARF

Exceeds the estimate by $273,35, while the Allegheny falls behind $1,449,64, so that the net proceeds, after paying the salary of the Wharf Master, and ordinary expenses, will hardly exceed $200,00. If the revenue fails to improve it, it will be time to consider the propriety of renting to private individuals, so that so valuable a franchise will yield reasonable returns to the city.

THE CITY GAUGER

Falls short $3,284,67 and only pays the pitiful sum of $1,715,33. Considering that over One Million Barrels of oil are brought to the city annually, there appears to be a leakage somewhere so far as revenue to the city is concerned.

SALT INSPECTION,

Although estimated, does not appear as yielding anything, and it would be as well to abolish the office and prevent its appearing hereafter.

THE BARK MEASURER,

Although he pays nothing in, admits the collection of between two and three hundred dollars, out of which thecity is entitled to say $50 or $60. This he declines to pay over, from the fact that the amount he made did not justify him in measuring. The office should be abolished.

Your attention is called to such small abuses, so that they may be corrected, and people not be taxed through the agency of the city for the benefit of private individuals.

MUNICIPAL BONDS

Bonds amounting to $47,500 have been paid off from the Municipal Sinking Fund during the year, leaving outstanding, $699,300.

RAILROAD BONDS OF COMPROMISE.

Thirty thousand dollars of these bonds were compromised during the year, and the accompanying table gives in detail a full statement.

COMMISSIONERS' SINKING FUND.

Amount now in the fund $142,040, consisting of 118 five per cent. bonds of $1,000 each, 24 four per cent. bonds of $1,000 each, and cash $40.

HAILMAN BEQUEST.

Amount $12,000. The interest of this sum is to be applied, in the winter of each year, for the relief of the poor and destitute.

COMMISSION FOR THE ERECTION OF A CITY HALL.

The amount paid is as follows, viz:

Payments on ground	$75,000 00
" " excavation	2,362 50
" " constructing foundations	22,982 00
" " publishing in papers	428 97
" " sundry items	279 68
" " Architect	1,000 00
Total	$102,053 15

Sum now in the hands of the City Treasurer, $31,733 97.

CONCLUSION.

Having thus called your attention to a few leading items, and presented full and accurate statements in detail of the finances of the departments, you will be enabled to form a correct judgment as to the resources and outlays necessary to carry on the City Government, and the workings of the Sinking Fund for the extinguishment of her debt. Considering the city has largely increased her boundaries and sphere of usefulness, and carried on much more extensive operations than heretofore, the year just ended may be considered most prosperous.

Her financial affairs are in such fortunate condition that she is fortified in every direction by the money on hand, the Commissioners' Sinking Fund, and the three mill interest Sinking Fund, so that her exhibit is better than it has been since the unfortunate heresy of repudiation seized the public mind that proved so disastrous to city interests, and nothing but a reckless course of extravagance or mismanagement can prevent her from successfully overcoming all financial embarassments.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS STEEL,
City Controller.

CONTROLLER STEEL'S REPORT

OF the Finances of the City of Pittsburgh, showing the amount of money received and the amount disbursed during the Fiscal year ending January 31, 1869; the various sources from which the revenue was derived and the objects for which it was applied, together with the balance in the City Treasury.

SAMUEL ALLISDER, CITY TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

1868.		
January 1.		
1869	Balance in Treasury	$ 230,300 70
January 30.		
	City Tax, 1867	11,352 97
	Business Tax, 1867	10,336 87
	Water Tax, 1867	20,217 78
	City Tax, 1868	237,715 44
	Business Tax, 1868	174,362 11
	Water Tax, 1868	120,716 15
	Diamond Markets	34,326 52
	Fifth Ward Market	871 65
	Weigh Scales	1,554 55
	Vehicle Licenses	12,175 75
	Monongahela Wharf	20,273 35
	Allegheny Wharf	2,555 06
	Streets per J. P. Hunter $231 06	
	Streets per John Flinn 7 65 16	
	Streets per L. List 20 00	
	Streets per J. D. McFaden 170 00	$ 1,146 22
	J. H. Nobbs, City Gauger	1,715 33
	Hon. James Blackmore, Mayor	9,122 41
	Board Measuring	311 78
	Publishing Ordinances	60 00
	Refunded and accrued Interest	209 12
	Wm. Hosack, Meat Inspector	7 30
	Borough of Lawrenceville	380 58
	Lawrenceville Burial Ground	8 00
	Spruce Alley purchase money	5,000 00
	Payment on Good Intent Eng. Lot	1,000 00
	Jos. French, on acc't. of Ferryles	1,325 00
	E. S. Wright, New Building Water Rents, &c.	1,170 43
	P. & Birmingham Railway Co	600 00
	Citizens' Passenger Railway Co	1,950 81
	Water Extension Loan	250,000 00
		$1,149,902 31

1869.		
January 30.	By Amounts paid, viz:	
	Appropriation	
No. 1.	Interest on Tax on City Loan	$ 197,703 70
No. 2.	Salaries of City Officers	24,574 54
No. 3.	City Printing	16,512 42
No. 4.	Fire Engines and Hose	30,565 56
No. 5.	Police	82,365 26
No. 6.	Water Works	64,060 03
No. 7.	Streets	50,000 00
No. 8.	Gas Lighting	12,606 40
No. 9	Diamond Markets	11,319 88
No. 10.	Monongahela Wharf	7,671 57
No. 11.	Allegheny Wharf	1,294 48
No. 12.	Weigh Scales	1,022 18
No. 13.	Contingent Fund	38,005 13
No. 14.	Board of Health	500 00
No. 16.	City Property Fund	20,000 00
No. 17.	Outstanding Warrants	500 00
No. 18.	Finance Fund	3,691 75
No. 19.	Sinking Fund	30,000 00
No. 20.	Fifth Ward Market	195 75
No. 21.	Fire Alarm Telegraph	10,500 00
No. 22.	Roads, New Districts	25,972 61
No. 23.	Survey Fund	7,022 47
No. 24.	Water Ex. Fund	216,147 58
No. 25.	Water Ex. Loan Int.	8,624 00
	Commissioners Hailman Poor Fund	9,504 09
	Business Tax, 1865, refunded to National Banks	5,450 83
	Commissions paid on Vehicle License Collections	304 39
	Transferred to Sinking Fund from Fifth Ward Market	871 65
	By Balance in the Treasury	279 020 16
		$1,149,902 31

CONTROLLER'S REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MUNICIPAL SINKING FUND, JANUARY 31, 1869.

DR.			
1865			
February 1	To Balance in Fund		$17,631 60
August 6	To Appropriation No. 19.		30,000 00
1869			
January 30	To Fifth Ward Market		871 65
			$48,503 61
1868	By Bonds Retired.	Nos.	CR.
June 25	John A. Brown		$10,000 00
July 24	Christopher F. Plate	67 to 70	4,000 00
" 27	Union Mutual Ins. Co	249	1,000 00
" "	" " " "	250	1,000 00
" "	" " " "	251	1,000 00
" "	" " " "	252	1,000 00
" "	" " " "	253	1,000 00
" "	" " " "	254	1,000 00
" "	" " " "	255	1,000 00
Sept. 22	Tr's Antoinette Jordan	21	1,000 00
" "	" " "	32	1,000 00
" "	" " "	33	1,000 00
Nov. 7	Thomas Steel	B 13	3,000 00
" "	" "	B 16	2,000 00
" "	" "	18	500 00
" "	" "	20	500 00
" "	" "	21	500 00
1869.			
Jan. 13	Thomas Steel, Attorney	11	1,000 00
" "	" " "	12	1,000 00
" "	" " "	13	1,000 00
" "	" " "	14	1,000 00
" "	" " "	34	1,000 00
" "	" " "	35	1,000 00
" "	" " "	36	1,000 00
" "	" " "	37	1,000 00
" "	" " "	38	1,000 00
" "	" " "	39	1,000 00
" "	" " "	40	1,000 00
" "	" " "	41	1,000 00
" "	" " "	42	1,000 00
" "	" " "	43	1,000 00
" "	" " "	3	1,000 00
" "	" " "	4	1,000 00
" 20	Peter Cullen, Trustee	66	1,000 00
	By Balance		1,003 61
			$48 503 61

STATEMENT OF THE Railroad Bonds Compromised and Exchanged.

Pittsburgh & Steubenville Railroad—1st Issue.		
Nos.	2 to 3, inclusive	2
"	6 to 187, "	182
"	189 to 220, "	32
"	226 to 250, "	25—241
Pittsburgh & Steubenville Railroad—2d Issue.		
Nos.	1 to 59, inclusive	60
"	61 to 66, "	6
"	68 to 196, "	128
"	192 to 235, "	44
"	237 to 244, "	8
"	246 to 286, "	41
"	289 to 300, "	12—232
Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad.		
Nos.	1 to 115, inclusive	115
"	120 to 238, "	114
"	2 5 "	1
"	237 to 238, "	2
"	240 to 244, "	5
"	246 to 272, "	27
"	274 to 292, "	60
"	334 to 339, "	6
"	346 to 420, "	75
"	424 to 498, "	75
"	500 to — "	—480
Ohio & Pennsylvania Railroad.		
Nos.	1 to 5, inclusive	5
"	7 to 26, "	17
"	28 to 34, "	10
"	36 to 75, "	40
"	77 to 83, "	7
"	88 to 143, "	56
"	145 to 200, "	56—191
Allegheny Valley Railroad.		
Nos.	1 to 65, inclusive	65
"	67 "	1
"	69 "	1
"	71 to 114, "	44
"	116 to 121, "	6
"	126 to 140, "	15
"	143 to 155, "	13
"	158 to 220, "	63
"	222 to 302, "	81
"	304 to 305, "	2
"	308 to 314, "	7
"	318 to 320, "	2
"	322 to 400, "	79—279
Chartiers Valley Railroad.		
Nos.	1 to 145, inclusive	145
"	147 to 150, "	4—149
Total number compromised		1,733
Outstanding		67

Amount and Style of Compromise Bonds issued in retiring Railroad Bonds;

Style of Bond.	4 per cent.	5 per cent.
Coupon Bonds	$399,000 00	1,607,000 00
Registered Bonds	6 300 00	59 500 00
Registered scrip	1133 46	2,457 35
	$405,433 46	$1 758 557 35
		405,433 46
Total		$2. 163,990 81

TAXES UNCOLLECTED AND UNACCOUNTED FOR, JANUARY 31, 1869.

1859	City Tax	$ 103 45
1859	Business Tax	89 82
1860	City Tax	922 49
1860	Business Tax	2,065 07
1860	Water Tax	622 06
1861	City Tax	725 84
1861	Business Tax	341 28
1861	Water Tax	878 36
1862	City Tax	85 51
1863	Water Tax	644 12
1864	Water Tax	860 13
1865	City Tax	1,023 39
1865	Business Tax	16,036 18
1865	Water Tax	511 99
1866	City Tax	8,777 68
1866	Business Tax	26,542 31
1866	Water Tax	1,623 45
1867	Business Tax	807 42
1868	City Tax	26,952 28
1868	Business Tax	39,334 53
1868	Water Tax	16,946 02
		$ 133,893 09

STATEMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL OR FUNDED DEBT, DUE AND UNDUE, BUT UNPAID, FEBRUARY 1, 1869, EXCLUSIVE OF COMPROMISE ISSUE.

When due.	Style of Bonds.	6 per cent.
1858.	Registered Bonds	$ 20,000 00
1859.	Registered Bonds	5,500 00
1860.	Registered Bonds	17,000 00
1862.	Registered Bonds	9,000 00
1864.	Registered Bonds	6,000 00
1865.	Registered Bonds	21,000 00
1866.	Registered Bonds	29,800 00
1868.	Registered Bonds	5,000 00
1869.	Registered Bonds	82,000 00
1869.	Coupon Bonds	200,000 00
1870.	Registered Bonds	105,000 00
1871.	Coupon Bonds	152,000 00
1886.	Coupon Bonds	64,000 00
		$699,300 00

CITY CONTROLLER STEEL'S REPORT

showing the amount of Warrants Drawn, the amount Paid and Outstanding, and Transfers to and from the Appropriations, and the Balance Undrawn and Unexpended on the Several Appropriations of the City of Pittsburgh for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1869:

App. No.	Warrants Issued and Outstanding of 1858.	1859.	1860.	1863.	Am't Appropriated for.	Transfers from Appropriations.	Transfers to Appropriations.	Warrants Drawn.	Warrants Paid.	Am'ts undrawn and unexpended.	Departments and Funds.
1.	$ 20 00				$ 252,358 40		2,135 46	197,703 70	197,703 70		Interest and Tax on City Loans.
2.	$ 25 00		20 00		26,710 00			24,574 54	24,574 54		Salaries of City Officers.
3.					30,290 00			16,512 42	16,512 42		City Printing.
4.			25 00		60,000 00			30,565 56	30,565 56		Fire Engines and Hose.
5.	$ 2 87			2 87	80,000 00			82,365 26	82,365 26		Police.
6.					50,000 00			64,060 03	64,060 03		Water Works.
7.	$ 3 00			3 00	50,000 00			50,000 00	50,000 00		Streets.
8.					12,606 40			12,606 40	12,606 40		Gas Lighting.
9.					11,319 88			11,319 88	11,319 88		Diamond Markets.
10.					7,671 57			7,671 57	7,671 57		Monongahela Wharf.
11.					1,294 48			1,294 48	1,294 48		Allegheny Wharf.
12.	$ 961,499 44				1,022 18			1,022 18		$ 1,022 18	Weigh Scales.
13.					38,005 13					38,005 13	Contingent Fund.
14.	$ 48,704 47				500 00			500 00			Board of Health.
16.					20,000 00					20,000 00	City Property Fund.
17.					500 00			500 00			Outstanding Warrants.
18.					3,691 75					3,691 75	Finance Fund.
19.					30,000 00					30,000 00	Sinking Fund.
20.					195 75					195 75	Fifth Ward Market.
21.					10,500 00					10,500 00	Fire Alarm and Police Telegraph.
22.					25,972 61					25,972 61	Roads, New Districts.
23.					7,022 47					7,022 47	Survey Fund.
24.					216,147 58					216,147 58	Water Extension Fund.
25.					8,624 00					8,624 00	Water Extension Loan Interest.
	$ 129,743 18				6,000 00					6,000 00	Water Extension Loan Sinking Fund.
Total	$ 1,040,969 06		45 00	5 87	$ 1,149,902 31		2,135 46	$ 1,146,922 85	$ 969,756 28	$ 179,146 18	
City	$ 260,885 00										
	$ 780,084 06										

DISTRICTS.	Tax.	Discount.	Per Centage.	CITY TAX.
First ward	$ 38,050 57			
Second ward	35,223 70	$ 1,301 49		
Third ward	9,223 70	1,344 11		
Fourth ward	36,650 02	1,254 68		
Fifth ward	1,324 83	1,324 83		
Sixth ward	19,382 08	724 85		
Seventh ward	8,859 61	850 73		
Eighth ward	12,228 94	449 70		
Ninth ward	1,813 14	1,813 14		
Tenth ward	5,965 49	1,215 40		
First ward, Lawrenceville	8,843 96	110 51		
Second ward, Lawrenceville	10,049 00	140 70		
Pitt township	4,966 67	54 60		
Oakland township	6,004 80	104 18		
Peebles township	3,906 25	107 57		
Liberty township	6,021 82	67 86		
Collins township	8,382 96	230 83		
		279 55		
City	$ 10,505 81	$ 2,353 93		
	$ 2,353 93			

DISTRICTS.	Tax.	Discount.	Per Centage.	CITY BUSINESS TAX.
First ward	$ 252,358 40	$ 11,040 13		
Second ward	26,710 00	36,625 20		
Third ward	30,290 00	44,754 65		
Fourth ward	60,000 00	14,817 17		
Fifth ward	50,000 00	1,475 41		
Sixth ward	80,000 00	1,451 41		
Seventh ward	30,290 00	1,475 76		
Eighth ward	60,000 00	1,888 65		
Ninth ward	20,000 00	987 40		
Tenth ward	50,000 00	851 23		
First ward, Lawrenceville	20,000 00	1,475 41		
Second ward, Lawrenceville	20,000 00	1,475 41		
Pitt township	5,000 00	1,475 41		
Oakland township	2,000 00	1,475 41		
Peebles township	2,000 00	1,475 41		
Liberty township	2,000 00	1,475 41		
Collins township	2,000 00	1,475 41		
	9,022 47	1,475 41		
City	$ 216,137 58	$ 8,624 00		
	$ 8,624 00			

Total	$ 484,186 68	$ 18,140 91	$ 500 00	$ 20,000 00
City	$ 216,137 58	$ 8,624 00		
	$ 268,049 10	$ 9,516 91		

Total	$ 1,392 80	$ 5,338 59	$ 500 00	$ 20,000 00
City		$ 2,882 90		
		$ 2,455 69		

Total	$ 16 50	$ 854,725 28	$ 54,701 09	
City			40,129 09	
			14,572 00	

DISTRICTS.	Tax.	Discount.	Per Centage.	CITY BUSINESS TAX.
First ward	$ 33 00	$ 25,806 10		
Second ward	16 50	47,936 57		
Third ward	16 50	67,756 50		
Fourth ward	12 50	40,350 00		
Fifth ward	23 00	125,142 78		
Sixth ward	16 50	80,185 76		
Seventh ward	16 50	51,892 38		
Eighth ward	12 50	67,756 50		
Ninth ward	1,495 72	40,350 00		
Tenth ward	5,300 99	43,102 15		
First ward, Lawrenceville	1,969 82	161,331 19		
Second ward, Lawrenceville	3,649 92	107,414 61		
Pitt township	4,128 90	80,185 76		
Oakland township	1,710 48	51,892 38		
Peebles township	1,472 43	67,756 50		
Liberty township	708 52	40,350 00		
Collins township		125,142 78		
	857 55	18,310 01	8,624 00	
City	$ 7,022 47	$ 816,137 58	$ 8,624 00	
	$ 7,022 47			

*$500 from Appropriation No, 17, Outstanding Warrants, was paid to the Ohio River Improvement Committee by order of Councils.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, SS:

Personally appeared Thomas Steel, City Controller, who, being duly affirmed, does depose and say that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

THOMAS STEEL, City Controller.

Before me this 30th day of January, A.D. 1869.
JAMES BLACKMORE, Mayor.

CITY ASSESSOR'S REPORT.

THOS. STEEL, Esq., City Controller:

SIR—The following are the City and City Business Taxes assessed, the discounts allowed on taxes paid between the 1st of June and 15th of September, and the per centage added to taxes remaining unpaid on the 1st of October, in the several Wards of the City of Pittsburgh, for the year 1868:

DISTRICTS.	Tax.	Discount.	Per Centage.	CITY TAX.
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Eighth ward	12,228 94	449 70		
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Tenth ward	5,965 49	1,215 40		
First ward, Lawrenceville	8,843 96	110 51		
Second ward, Lawrenceville	10,049 00	140 70		
Pitt township	4,966 67	54 60		
Oakland township	6,004 80	104 18		
Peebles township	3,906 25	107 57		
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Sixth ward	80,000 00	1,451 41		
Seventh ward	30,290 00	1,475 76		
Eighth ward	60,000 00	1,888 65		
Ninth ward	20,000 00	987 40		
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Liberty township	2,000 00	1,475 41		
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	9,022 47	1,475 41		
City	$ 216,137 58	$ 8,624 00		
	$ 8,624 00			

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		$ 2,455 69		

Total	$ 16 50	$ 854,725 28	$ 54,701 09	
City			40,129 09	
			14,572 00	

J. R. NEWMAN,
City Assessor.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 31, 1868.

CITY GAUGER'S REPORT.—

Amount of Barrels Gauged and Cash received during fiscal year ending January 31st, 1869:

Month.	Oil.	Whiskey.	Molasses.	Fees.
1868. February	1,943	105	1,803	$ 194 05
" March	4,464	177	682	268 35
" April	3,435	94	642	200 25
" May	2,719	175	554	174 20
" June	3,027	189	230	171 70
" July	2,272	112	152	177 90
" August	4,001	331	364	238 90
" September	2,190	138	220	136 00
" October	1,992	487	503	161 25
" November	1,490	518	118	108 58
" December	2,192	473	679	164 66
1869. January	2,994	252	2,384	282 60
Total	33 619	3,001	8,481	$2287 48

Total No. bbls Gauged, 45,101.
Total amount received for Gauging $ 2,287 48

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By cash paid City Treasurer $ 1.715 61
By Gauger's fee 25 per cent., retained 571 87
$2,287 48

J. H. NOBBS,
City Gauger.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 30, 1869.

To THOS. STEEL, Esq., City Controller.

J. H. NOBBS, City Gauger, being duly sworn, does depose and say that the foregoing account is just and true. J. H. NOBBS.

Sworn and subscribed this 30th day of January, A. D. 1869. THOMAS STEEL, City Controller.

CONTROLLER STEEL'S REPORT

OF THE WARRANTS ISSUED MONTHLY DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31st, 1869.

MONTHS.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	No. 11.	No. 12.	No. 15.	No. 14.	No. 16.	No. 17.	No. 18.	No. 19.	No. 20.	No. 21.	No. 22.	No. 23.	No. 24.	No. 25.	No. 26.
February	$ 18,714 34	$ 1,324 96	$ 1,469 53	$ 5,500 00	$ 777 12	$ 14,513 63	$ 5,177 12	$ 5,401 01	$ 2,487 44	$ 37 04	$ 122 98	$	$ 18,480 41	$ 500 00	$	$	$ 13 30	$	$ 8 00	$ 223 51	$	$	$	$	$
March	4,878 79	1,324 96	807 50		7,269 92	2,285 81	1,665 15		259 50	75 00			5,069 22		690 55		1,000 10		33 00	352 74					
April	169 60	2,924 96	1,528 62		7,451 28	5,114 86	4,070 58		268 00	83 69							31 95		16 50	398 00					
May	10 06	1,699 96	162 25	12,375 56	11,357 77	4,081 60	6,117 74		382 76	178 00			2,882 43				244 78		20 25	444 04					
June	815 50	1,533 29	1,845 12	1,500 00	7,029 68	5,020 51	4,853 90	2,324 00	148 48	98 50			6 06				644 85		16 50	1,794 29					
July	65,812 66	1,533 29	96 00	4,500 00	6,452 63	4,907 42	5,647 17	3,236 35	82 60	117 00			32 00				91 22		16 50	2,954 03					
August	196 50	3,168 68	487 20	600 00	6,312 43	4,215 72	6,072 33		838 80	78 00			12 00				80 00	30,000 00	12 50	3,649 92					
September	26,572 50	1,566 63	2,465 19		6,561 94	4,052 82	5,566 67		345 38	140 00			22 58				18 15		23 00	3,588 99					
October	4,570 03	1,566 63	358 29	6,000 00	6,780 73	4,374 59	5,216 68		2,804 00	93 00			15 50				29 95		16 50	4,128 90					
November	3,166 63	1,566 63	26 50		8,202 26	4,298 16	484 94		125 05	78 00							97 90		16 50	1,710 48					
December	2,660 98	1,566 63	470 76		7,653 95	4,648 67	161 96		3,525 42	73 50							32 65		12 50	1,472 43					
January	78,089 14	4,733 26			4,648 67				224 63	902 80	157 50									708 52					
Totals	$197,703 70	$ 24,574 54	$ 10,512 42	$ 30,565 56	$ 82,365 26	$ 64,060 03	$ 50,000 00	$ 12,606 40	$ 11,319 88	$ 7,671 57	$ 1,294 48	$ 1,022 18	$ 38,005 13	$ 500 00	$ 20,000 00	$ 500 00	$ 3,691 75	$ 30,000 00	$ 195 75	$ 10,500 00	$ 25,972 61	$ 7,022 47	$ 216,137 58	$ 8,624 00	$

Totals	$ 197,703 70	$ 24,574 54	$ 10,512 42	$ 30,565 56	$ 82,365 26	$ 64,060 03	$ 50,000 00	$ 12,606 40	$ 11,319 88	$ 7,671 57	$ 1,294 48	$ 1,022 18	$ 38,005 13	$ 500 00	$ 20,000 00	$ 500 00	$ 3,691 75	$ 30,000 00	$ 195 75	$ 10,500 00	$ 25,972 61	$ 7,022 47	$ 216,137 58	$ 8,624 00	$
	$ 54,701 09	40,129 09	25,806 10	47,936 57	67,756 50	40,350 00	125,142 78	80,185 76	51,892 38	67,756 50	40,350 00	161,331 19	107,414 61	43,102 15	25,806 10	47,936 57	67,756 50	40,350 00	125,142 78						
	Totals.																								

BOARD MEASURERS' REPORTS.

THOMAS STEEL, City Controller:

SIR—During the fiscal year ending January 30, 1869, I measured 1,400,000 feet of Lumber.

The city's per centage on the same amounted to $31,50, which amount I have paid to the City Treasurer. Yours respectfully,

SAMUEL MITCHELL,
Board Measurer.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 30th day of January, 1869.
THOMAS STEEL, City Controller.

THOMAS STEEL, City Controller:

SIR—During the fiscal year of 1868, I measured 783,113 feet of Boards, for which I received $156,60 as fees.

$23,50 of the above amount has been paid to the City Treasurer as the city's percentage of the fees collected. Yours respectfully,

WILLIAM BUNTON,
Board Measurer, Fourth Ward.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 30th day of January, 1869.
THOMAS STEEL, Controller.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF MARKETS,

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending Jan. 31, 1869.

OFFICE OF SUPT. OF MARKETS, PITTSBURGH, Jan. 29, 1869.

TO THE MARKET COMMITTEE:

In making my report, I again call your attention to the necessity of another Market House, in some suitable place, for the accommodation of the producer, as well as the consumer. Producers are turned away for the want of room. Another Market House, farther out in the city, would certainly be of great benefit to all. The butchers that now occupy shops would go to it, and the farmer that, under existing circumstances, is compelled to peddle his produce through the streets, would go to it. They will be accommodated—so will the citizens. Your meat and vegetables will be cheaper, and the city will increase in revenue. The amount of fresh meat alone, sold in this market in one year, is about ten million pounds. From this the city derives a revenue of about twelve thousand dollars. Below will be found my report of the amount collected.

Respectfully submitted.
SAMUEL KILGORE,
Superintendent of Markets.

	Yearly Rent.	Amount Collected.	Am't due.
1 Adam Calthaller	$ 132 00	132 00	
2 Andrew Fromm	132 00	132 00	
3 Louis Mettern	132 00	132 00	
4 Adam Bender	132 00	132 00	
5 Geo. Steinhausser	132 00	132 00	

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

City Controller's Report.

On our seventh page this morning our readers will find the able and comprehensive annual report of Thomas Steel, Esq., the outgoing City Controller, together with the yearly reports of the various city officers. The report claims the careful perusal of all interested in municipal affairs, and developes a highly satisfactory condition of the finances of the city and a close and prosperous management during the past year.

Firemen's Association.—A regular quarterly meeting of the Pittsburgh Firemen's Association will be held at the Hall of the Association, City Building, Monday, the 8th inst., at seven o'clock P. M.

The Grand Charity Fair—
Will positively close
On Tuesday evening, February 9th,
owing to the
Commencement of Lent.

Committed.—Alexander Neeley was committed to jail, in default of bail in the sum of $1,600, to answer at Court a charge of felonious assault and battery, preferred against him by Oliver Neeley before Alderman Lindsay, of Allegheny, yesterday.

Preaching To-Morrow.—The Rev. Jas. Y. Boice, of Cincinnati, will preach in the First Reformed Presbyterian Church (Dr. Douglas, Pastor), to-morrow afternoon at half-past two o'clock. Preaching by the Pastor in the morning at half-past ten o'clock.

South Side.—The police magistrates in the south boroughs complain that business is distressingly dull at present, and from present indications there is no prospect of its improving. We discovered nothing of importance during our visit to that side of the river yesterday.

For Seven Years.—George Barnes, convicted at the present term of the United States District Court of stealing the mail, and sentenced by Judge McCandless to seven years imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary, was taken to that institution by Marshal Rowley yesterday.

The Charity Fair.—The interest in the Charity Fair now being held in the basement of St. Paul's Cathedral continues unabated. The attendance was quite large last evening and much interest was centered in the voting. The contest for the Aldermanic chair is quite spirited, Aldermen Butler, Koenig, Albeitz, Ammon, McMaster and Moreland being the contestants. Sealed votes will be received up till ten o'clock Monday evening next.

Dull.—Police business at the Mayor's office has been extremely dull for several weeks past. The number of cases in the watch house, however, appear to be on the increase. There were sixteen cases in that department yesterday morning, and the Mayor disposed of them in his usual prompt manner. Twenty-five dollars fine or thirty days in jail is a very common sentence at this court, and we believe it will have good effect.

It's true it always ends in smoke, but then the smoking of a good cigar, to some people is such a necessary luxury that they will have the article, and the establishment which keeps the best stock on hand is bound to succeed. A case in point is that of Megraw's tobacco store, No. 45 Hand street, where the best that the market supplies is kept for sale, and at prices which come within the reach of all. Give Megraw a trial, if you wish to be satisfied.

Surgeons Appointed.—The Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Company has made the following appointment of Surgeons for the year 1869: J. G. Buchanan, M. D., Allegheny City; J. W. Hammond, M. D., Wellsville; Wm. Stanton, M. D., Steubenville; J. M. Todd, M. D., Bridgeport; James Westfall, M. D., Minerva; H. G. Thomas, M. D., Alliance; A. W. Alcorn, M. D., Ravenna; Proctor Thayer, M. D., Cleveland. In all cases of accident to employes or passengers, the nearest of the above surgeons is to be called.

Messrs. McClintock & Cochran, having completed the series of thorough repairs and improvements commenced upon their extensive saw mill, in the Twelfth ward, about the first of January, and having an immense stock of well selected timber on hand, contemplate opening for the spring campaign on Monday, the 8th inst. Their facilities are such that with their customary promptness they are prepared to receive and execute all orders for building timber and other bill work upon the shortest notice and in the best workmanlike manner.

Keystone Skating Rink.—We are pleased to announce to our readers that this place of amusement will be thrown open to the public this day and evening. The last four days have formed a sheet of ice, smooth and level, upon which the lovers of the "Skatorial Art" may swing themselves to their entire satisfaction. We are authorized to say that, should the weather continue at its present state, Monday evening will be devoted to a grand carnival, under the auspices of the Keystone Skating Club. Many novelties will be introduced, among which will be a velocipede performance by an expert. Some interesting exercises on this wonder will be part of this afternoon and evening's performance.

Identified.

Wenzil Fanta, a Bohemian, called at the Coroner's office and after an examination of the clothing taken from the body found hanging to a tree in East Deer township a few days since, an account of which we published, stated that it was his wife's clothing. Mr. Fanta arrived in this country about three months ago, and since that time has resided on Troy Hill. His wife, who was partially deranged, left her home on the eighth of January, and it is supposed that she came to her death shortly afterwards. Deceased was twenty-eight years of age, and leaves one child.

The Union Skating Park.

The ice at the Union Skating Park never was in better condition and hundreds of skaters availed themselves of the privilege thus afforded to indulge in their favorite amusement last evening. The Park was again flooded after the skaters had retired, and will be found in prime order to-day. This afternoon and evening a fine brass band will be in attendance, and lend additional attraction to the occasion. Every lover of the art skatorial, should, if possible, be on hand and "make hay while the sun shines," or to change the proverb somewhat and make it suitable for winter, "skate while the ice lasts." The Park is easily reached by the Manchester passenger cars, which run within a square of the entrance. Remember the place,—Union Park—splendid ice—brass band—to day.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Conflagration in McKeesport—Hiawatha House and other Buildings Destroyed.

A destructive conflagration occurred in the borough of McKeesport between three and four o'clock yesterday morning, by which the Hiawatha House, at the corner of Fifth and Market streets, and a frame building adjoining it were totally destroyed.

The fire originated in the frame building adjoining the hotel, on Market street, and occurring at such an early hour was not discovered until it had made considerable progress. The alarm was given, and the citizens responded and worked faithfully, but in consequence of there being no fire apparatus of any description whatever in the borough, their efforts were of but little avail. There was a strong wind blowing at the time, and the flames were carried up from the burning building to a heavy cornice projecting from the Hiawatha House, to which they communicated. In a short time the entire roof was enveloped in flames, and the citizens directed their efforts towards saving the furniture in the house, and to prevent the spread of the fire to the adjacent buildings. The fire raged with great fierceness, and for a time it was feared that the entire block, which includes Shaum's bakery and saloon, Larned & Co.'s store, and Wm. Harrison's shoe store, would be destroyed. The buildings in the rear of the Hiawatha House were torn down, and by this precaution, together with the protection afforded by the snow to the roofs of the buildings adjoining, the fire was confined to the buildings named. Shaum's bakery establishment was on fire several times, but escaped without material damage.

The ground floor of the Market street front of the Hiawatha House was divided into two rooms, one of which was occupied by the late Dr. Hill, as a drug store, and the other by F. H. Coursin & Co., as a banking house. Some of the goods in the drug store were removed, but a considerable portion was destroyed. The books, papers and other valuables in Coursin & Co.'s banking house were in the safe, and will not, it is expected, be injured. The Hiawatha building was owned and occupied by Wm. M'Mullin, as a hotel. It was three stories in height, and was the best hotel in the borough. The principal part of the furniture was removed, although in a damaged condition. Mr. M'Mullin's loss will not fall far short of twenty five thousand dollars, and he has no insurance whatever.

The building in which the fire originated was owned by Mrs. William Scharren and occupied by Mrs. Tassey, a widow, as a millinery and trimming store. It was entirely consumed together with all the goods it contained. We could not ascertain the loss, but it will fall heavily upon Mrs. T. who lost everything she had.

The origin of the fire could not be determined. Mrs. T. closed the store before five o'clock Thursday afternoon, and came to this city. At the time she left there was very little fire in the stove. It is the general impression, however, that the store was entered by thieves who hoped to gain an entrance into the banking house, but failing in that set fire to the premises. What grounds there may be for such suspicions we are unable to say. The citizens deserve credit for the efforts they put forth to save the property in danger, but they exhibit an utter disregard to the interests of the community by failing to organize an effective fire department. Only a few months since the extensive rope works of Messrs. Bollman, Fulton & Co. were destroyed, involving a loss of from $60,000 to $70,000, but the warning was not heeded. The disastrous fire yesterday morning should certainly be sufficient to induce the citizens to adopt some measures to provide effective protection to property.

Taken Over—Trials of Prisoners.

Sheriff D. F. Stock and his deputy, Levi Kline, of Westmoreland county arrived at the Union Depot yesterday morning, having in custody two convicts consigned to the Western Penitentiary. The prisoners were named respectively James Lewis and John Dunn. Lewis was convicted last week in the Criminal Court of the county named for attempting to rob the Adams Express Company at Greensburg some time ago, and was sentenced to three years and one month in the institution, where he is now safely housed. Dunn was also convicted at the same place last week of robbing a store in West Newton, and sentenced to three years and nine months in the same establishment. While locked up in the jail at Greensburg, Dunn made a desperate attempt to escape by tunneling underground toward the main sewer, and had proceeded a considerable distance, when he was detected and remanacied. Both prisoners kept quiet enough until leaving the cars of the Manchester Passenger Railway on Ohio street, at the entrance to the Penitentiary, when they slipped off their manacles and started to run. The Sheriff had been watching their movements, and quickly brought them to by presenting a revolver. They had while imprisoned in Greensburg constructed a sort of key from a piece of wire, by which their manacles could be unlocked easily. It was their intention, so they state, to jump off the cars while in motion coming towards Pittsburgh, but they found themselves too closely watched and gave up that idea. While in the passenger cars they unlocked the manacles with the key, and thus were enabled to throw them off at the first opportunity, but the sheriff having noticed the action, checkmated them as stated. No further difficulty was experienced in conveying them to their destination, after the revolver was exhibited, which seemed to have a peculiarly subduing effect.

Body Found—Coroner's Inquest.

Yesterday morning the body of an unknown man was found in Robert Loring's barn, on the old Washington road, Scott township, about four miles south of the city, by George Zam, a German, who worked for Mr. Loring. Coroner Clawson was notified and held an inquest. The body was not identified, and as there were no marks of violence upon it the jury were unable to determine the cause of death, and the verdict was, consequently, "that he came to his death from causes to the jury unknown."

The following is a copy of a receipt found upon the body:

TREASURER'S OFFICE, MONROE COUNTY, OHIO, December 2, 1868.

Received of John Bammburg:

On personal property	$1 78
On land, 35 acres	5 54
	$7 32

D. NEWBERRY, Treasurer.

No. 1,491

Whether the body found was that of the person referred to in the receipt or not, is not known, but it most probably was. The deceased was dressed in Jean pants, dark cloth vest, barred flannel undershirt, check over-shirt, and dark blue sacque coat. The deceased was apparently about thirty-five years of age.

MUSICAL.

The Concert at the Academy Last Night.

The Academy of Music was graced last evening by one of the most brilliant and appreciative audiences of the season, drawn thither by the vocal concert under the direction of Prof. Clement Tetedoux, than whom no other has done more towards developing home talent and planting in the hearts of the people a love for and devotion to the science of singing. True, there were many vacant chairs which silently told of a lack of culture and appreciation in the community; but the house was so well filled, and by such an intelligent audience as can seldom be drawn together, that we feel it was no grievous misfortune that many patrons of foreign artists failed to put in an appearance on an occasion where the musical feast was offered by modsst home amateurs. It is a matter of much congratulation that here where the mighty chorus of the anvil and sweet music of industry rings out from morn till night, that the fine arts are not lost sight of in the whirl of active, busy life, but are cherished and nourished with enthusiastic zeal and fervor by so large a class of our citizens. It may be vain in us to claim equality in musical matters with cities holding leadership in education, culture and refinement; but we cannot resist the temptation of asserting that our improvised amateur concerts in point of brilliancy and art will rank high among entertainments of like import given elsewhere in the country. We do not speak exclusively of the circle of home artists, who contributed so much to the pleasure and enjoyment of the audience at the Academy last evening—although their marked ability and high powers of interpretation render them conspicuous for musical talent and attainments—but of the large class of finished and accomplished musicians and vocalists, who deservedly occupy places as clever amateurs in the estimation of the public. So much by way of preface to the grand vocal concert of last evening, and so much in tribute to true worth and excellence.

The programme opened with "Marino Faliero," Donizetti, a charming duet for baritone and bass, rendered in a remarkably fine manner by Messrs. E. E. and C. C. Rinehart. The latter gentleman was laboring under a severe cold, considerably impairing his full, rich voice, but not so much as to prevent his acquitting himself of his part in a manner highly creditable and hardly less brilliant and vivacious than that of his talented colleague. Miss Clara Evans was programmed for an Italian song, but much to the regret of the audience, it was announced that the lady was seriously indisposed and could not appear during the evening. While we regretted the deprivemeht enforced, still were pleased that Miss Mary Dihm supplied the blank and sang with much correctness and beauty the pretty song of "Love's Request." Miss Julia Card, of Steubenville, Ohio, favored the audience with Millard's "Waiting," a musical gem not calculated to inspire much enthusiasm, but quite difficult to properly interpret. This lady is the possessor of a very sweet voice, which she has under perfect control and culture, and in her rendition of "Waiting" fully impressed the audience with her power and elegance as a vocalist. Mr. Paul Zimmerman, who has few, if any, superiors as an artistic tenor, in the State, delighted the audience with Luther's "In Shade of Night," and in response to a rapturous encore, sang "Thou Art so Fair" with equal effect. "Lo! Hear the gentle lark," Bishop, was rendered by Mrs. Charles C. Mellor, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Mellor, and on the violin by Prof. Tearge. To assert that this was the vocal gem of the evening, will be but redecting the unanimous verdict of the audience, and will cast no disparagement on the other performers, as Mrs. Mellor's powers of vocalization entitle her to place in the highest rank of professional singers. Not many of the eminent sopranos, prominently before the American public, excel this home amateur in sweetness, power and richness of voice, natural execution and graceful rendition. The most difficult passages, requiring wonderful control of the voice, were rendered in a manner so exquisitely beautiful as to stamp the genius of the lady as far, far above the plane of ordinary finished vocalists. Her selection was admirable, developing her power of interpretation and delighting the critical portion of the audience. In response to a rapturous encore, the lady sang "Tell me, Oh Gentle Maiden" with marked force and brilliancy. Miss Maggie McCandless rendered the "Erl King," Schubert, in fine style. The absence of sentimentality, or any attempt to increase the interest in the ballad, other than the ornamentation furnished by a full toned, flexible and well cultured voice, was a conspicuous feature of this talented young lady's contribution to the feast. A trio from Verdi, by Miss Kate Northam and Messrs. Edwards and Zimmerman, was given spiritedly, and excited much applause and was warmly encored. Part second of the concert was opened by Miss Annie Houston, offering the "Laughing Song" which was followed in response to a rapturous encore with the "Maid of Sorrente." A sense of propriety forbids our praising this young lady, preferring that less interested parties should pass judgment upon her merits and claims to public favor. She was followed by the popular contralto, Miss Maria Rinehart who sang in a thrilling way "Ah! My Child!" a choice gem from the soul of Meyerbeer. She has a powerful voice, mournfully sweet and finely cultivated and her rich vocalization struck a tender chord in the hearts of those in attendance. "Oh! take me to thy heart again" was rendered in equally good style in compliance with an *encore* awarded the lady, "Oh tu Palermo," Verdi, a vesper chant, was interpreted with much effect by Mr. W. B. Edwards, a bass singer of decided ability, and was followed by Mrs. Charles Mellor singing "Robert, toi que j'aime. Miss Kate Northam in the good old Scottish ballad of "Robin Adair" developed a clear, sweet voice, clever articulation and masterly execution which gained for her the heartiest applause.

The concert was a success in every point of view, and Prof. Tetedoux has much to congratulate himself upon in the brilliancy of the affair. His musical occasions with each returning year grow more popular and keep alive the interest centered in good music, animating and encouraging all to cultivate and make use of the talents with which endowed for the ennoblement and elevation of their souls by an All-wise Creator.

A Pleasing Entertainment.

Yesterday afternoon a musical entertainment of an interesting and very pleasant character was given at the Sixth ward (Allegheny) School House on Chartiers street, Professor B. F. Gambier, Principal. The affair was under the direction of Professor W. H. Slack, assisted by the famous Allegheny Quartette Club, and was participated in by the pupils of the High and Grammar Departments of the school. In response to invitations, the Directors and quite a number of the parents of the children were in attendance, to all of whom, the entertainment throughout seemed to give the greatest satisfaction.

The programme embraced a varied and appropiate selection of exercises, consisting of solos, duetts, quartettes, class drills, etc., the rendition of which very often called forth unqualified expressions of applause from the audience. The ballad, "Dreams of Home," full of sentiment and feeling, was rendered in a perfect style by the "quartette," Messrs. W. H. Slack, W. B. Slack, Horner and Darling, and was perhaps the gem of the entertainment. Prof. Darling sang the beautiful solo, "Summer Sweets," assisted by the quartette, and Prof. Horner favored the audience with a comic selection, entitled "Happy Days of Freedom," both of which performances were highly appreciated. The drill and musical examination to which the scholars were subjected by Prof. W. H. Slack, musical instructor in the Allegheny schools, was complete and thorough and gave unquestionable evidence of their proficiency in this important branch of study. At the conclusion of these exercises Rev. A. G. Kirk, of the Sixth U. P. Church, and Mr. T. J. Craig, member of the Pittsburgh Central Board of Education, delivered short addresses on the importance and usefulness of a musical education, in which they both expressed themselves as highly pleased with the culture and careful training manifested by the pupils of the school. The entertainment was finally brought to a close by the singing of several comic and sentimental songs by the Quartette, assisted by the scholars, and the audience separated well pleased with the agreeable and instructive manner in which the afternoon was spent.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The audience at the Opera House last evening was one of the largest and most select which has assembled there during the present season. The entertainment was a most excellent one. "La Belle Helene" was presented by the Worrell Sisters in an admirale manner. Sophie, as "Helene," although prevented from singing in consequence of a severe cold, from which she has been suffering during the entire week, was highly applauded throughout the piece. Irene, as "Paris," was unexceptionable, as was also Miss Jennie in the *rote* she played. She made her greatest hit, however, in "Nan," the afterpiece, in which she has scarcely an equal. La Belle Helene will be repeated at the matinee this afternoon, with "His Last Legs" as an afterpiece. This evening "The Field of the Cloth of Gold," and "Nan."

MRS. SIDDONS.—This eminent English actress will read at the Academy of Music, from Shakespeare, Tennyson and Scott, on Monday and Tuesday evenings, next, under the auspices of the Mercantile Library Association. The high reputation made and sustained in the old and new continents by this lady should secure for her a large and fashionable audience. Reserved seats will be sold at Lafayette Hall on Friday evening next.

CHARITY FAIR.—The attendance at the Charity Fair, in progress in the basement of the Cathedral, continues to increase, as does also the interest in the voting and chance taking. In addition to the interesting and entertaining young ladies who preside at the several booths, the Cathedral band is present nightly to give additional interest to the occasion.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—The attractions at the old Theatre during the present week have been immense, and we learn they will be equally as large next week. Mr. Williams has been fortunate in the selection of his company, and the public appreciate his efforts to give a first class entertainment.

AMERICAN THEATRE.—The French Can Can Dance will, for the first time, be introduced in this city at the American Theatre (late Trimble's Varieties) this evening. Mr. Smythe has an excellent dramatic and varieties company and is giving first class entertainments. The house is crowded every night.

MUSEUM.—Notwithstanding the many attractions in the way of amusements at present in the city, the Museum continues to receive a full share of the public patronage. The many attractions there are sufficient to draw the people, and also to entertain them when there.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, February 5th, 1869:

Henry Blumhage to Catharine Reshart, September 8, 1868: lot in Ross township, containing 6 acres and 34 perches.....$6,000

Johnston Ross to James Lyons, September 12 1868: lot in the Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh, 24 by 105 feet, with buildings.....$1 250

J. S. Nowmyer to the Swissvale Evang Lutheran Church and Academy, January 28, 1869: lot in Wilkins township, containing acres, with buildings.....$4,069

James McCutcheon to John C. Fleiner, December 27, 1868: lots Nos. 43 and 44 in Warner's plan of Allegheny city.....$2 30.

Lawrence Winckell to Jacob Kell, May 24, 1864; lot on Main street, Sharpsburg, 71 by 148 feet, with buildings.....$2 520

Henry Frischel to Dr. J. Henderson Smith, February 3, 1869: lot corner of St. Clair and Sycamore streets, Mount Washington, 70 by 285 feet, with buildings.....$2 100

Hannah Sarber to Thomas Mahan, January 1, 1869: lot on Sandusky street, Third ward, Allegheny, 20 by 80 feet, with three story brick building.....$3,000

A. Heneman to Elizabeth King, November 19, 1866: lot in Tustin's plan, Pitt township, 20 by 120 feet.....$450

MORTGAGES.

Same day four mortgages were filed of record.

Alleged Fraud.

James McNally made information before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, against Thomas Wilson and Frederick Anderson for fraud. McNally is engaged in the dry goods trade on Hand street, and the accused formerly carried on the business of tailoring on Smithfield street. McNally alleges they purchased goods of him to the amount of ninety dollars, for the payment of which he was compelled to bring suit. Having obtained judgment, he states that he went to the store of the defendants the next morning accompanied by an officer to make a levy on the stock, but found the premises locked up and the goods all gone, having been removed some time during the night, hence the information against them for fraud. The defendants were arrested, but waived a hearing, and gave bail for Court.

Light.

The "light of other days," it is said, is the best and cheapest light in existence. Whether this assertion be true or not, we do not propose to say; but we do say, without fear of contradiction, that Weldon & Kelley are prepared to furnish the public chandeliers for either gas or oil lamps, and gas fixtures of every description, at lower rates than they can be obtained in any other establishment. Messrs. Weldon & Kelly are practical gas and steam fitters and plumbers, and any work entrusted to their care will be done in a satisfactory manner. Their place of business is at the corner of Wood street and Virgin alley.

White P. K.'s cheap at J. M. Burchfield & Co.'s.

Artificial Teeth.

No branch of science in this county has been carried to such perfection since its discovery, perhaps, than dentistry particularly that branch of it relating to artificial teeth. A few years since, if a man was so unfortunate as to lose his teeth he was under the necessity of getting through the world without those very useful articles, and, indeed, until very lately, unless the individual deprived of his natural teeth was wealthy he could not incur the expense of replacing them by artificial teeth, in consequence of the high price of that article. We are pleased to announce, however, the dawn of a new era, and inform our readers that Dr. Spencer furnishes full upper and lower sets of teeth for the small sum of thirty dollars. Remember the place is No. 238 Penn street, at Dr. Spencer's Dental Depot, for at any other establishment the same article will cost forty dollars.

Books, Magazines, Papers

People will have something to read in these days, and the great question with them in making their purchases of reading seems to be that of economy. They always seek for a place where the largest variety is offered at reasonable prices, and this fact may be considered one of the chief reasons of the success of Col. J. D. Egan. Like a shrewd business man, the Colonel noticed this peculiarity of human nature and acted accordingly, with what success may be seen by an examination of the large stock on hand at his establishment on Sixth avenue, a few doors from Smithfield street. Of his prices the best way to judge would be to make a purchase, and if the money's worth is not given, patronage may be bestowed in future elsewhere. Give him a call.

The Latest Styles—Where to Find Them.

It will doubtless be a matter of importance to our readers to know where they can purchase goods of the latest styles upon the most reasonable terms, and consequently we call their attention to the large stock of goods at W. W. Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street, which is being disposed of at unprecedentedly low rates, in order to make room for their spring trade. The stock of trimmings, lace goods, hosiery and gloves, offered for sale at this well known and popular house, is, without exception, the largest and most complete to be found in the city, as the crowds of customers who throng the establishment daily can fully testify. As to quality, Mr. Moorhead's goods are unsurpassed in this or any other market. A word to the wise, &c.

Continental Dining Rooms.

The Continental Saloon, Fifth avenue, next door to the Postoffice, continues to be the favorite restaurant in the city. This is owing, perhaps, to the fact that Mr. Holtzheimer, the gentlemanly proprietor, superintends the establishment in person, and consequently the wants of his patrons are always fully provided for. He keeps a corps of gentlemanly and competent assistants, who receive and fill the orders of customers with promptness and accuracy. The dining rooms are always kept in perfect order, and anything you call for, if it is to be obtained in the city, will be served in the best and most satisfactory style. His oysters are the best in the city. It is only necessary to try them to be fully convinced of the fact.

Gardner's, West Corner Market Street and Fourth Avenue.

New Table Linens, Twills, Hucks and Crashes.

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10—4 Sheetings, bleached and unbleached.

Irish Linens, Linen Shirt Fronts.

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New style Prints and Ginghams.

Tweeds, Kentucky Jeans and Cassimeres.

Black Alpacas, Queen's Cloths.

Silk Lustres, new goods, cheap.

25 cents, yard wide Tickings.

Toilet and Honeycomb Quilts, cheap.

12½ cents, 4-4 bleached Muslins and Sheetings.

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Good House and Lot in Allegheny at Auction.—The property, 51 Webster street, fronting on the Commons, is to be sold on Thursday next, at two o'clock. See advertisment in auction sales.
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DIED.

EDWARDS—On Friday, February 5th, 1869, Mrs. JANE EDWARDS, relict of Thomas Edwards, in her 69th year.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, John Allen, on Coal Hill TOMORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 1 o'clock. Carriage will leave Devore's, Grant street, opposite the Cathedral, at 12 M. for friends.

CARR—In Philadelphia, on Friday morning, February 5th, SOPHIA B., wife of Overton Carr, and daughter of the late Hon. William Wilkins, of this city.

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